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First Concrete Poured At New County Airport

The first concrete was poured at the new Hancock County Airport last Thursday. Charles H. Hill, Hancock County Port and Harbor Director said the first phase of concrete work at the facility was for the apron, just off the runway.

The apron part of the airport facility is where planes are placed for loading and unloading purposes. This phase of construction is being done by T. L. James Construction Company, a sub-contractor.

According to Charles H. Hill, the second phase of the construction project will start probably within 30 days. This will be placing asphalt on the

runway.

April 1 is the date now scheduled for landing planes at the airport. After the current paving is finished according to Hill, next will come construction of fueling and maintenance facilities, which will have to be operated by a fixed based operator.

The airport facility will have complete automation facilities for loading and unloading cargo. This airport will be able not only to handle local industry, when industry moves into Hancock County, but will also be an ideal location to handle incoming freight to the New Orleans area.

MPC Suggest Precautions Before Lighting Yule Tree

Throughout Hancock County, families are busy performing all of the traditional activities connected with the Christmas season. Gifts are being purchased, greeting cards are being mailed, and Christmas trees are being set up for display.

Every Christmas, death, serious burns, and property damage result when Christmas trees accidentally catch fire. To give your family protection against an unfortunate fire, Mississippi Power Company's Safety Department recommends that the following National Safety Council suggestions be observed this Yuletide season.

1. Cut a growing tree or purchase one which has not been allowed to dry out by prolonged storage. (A Christmas tree is fresh if, when bounced down hard, the needles do not fall off or when the tree butt is sticky with resin).

2. Stand tree in water until ready for use. Saw off true trunk at an angle at least one-inch above the original cut.

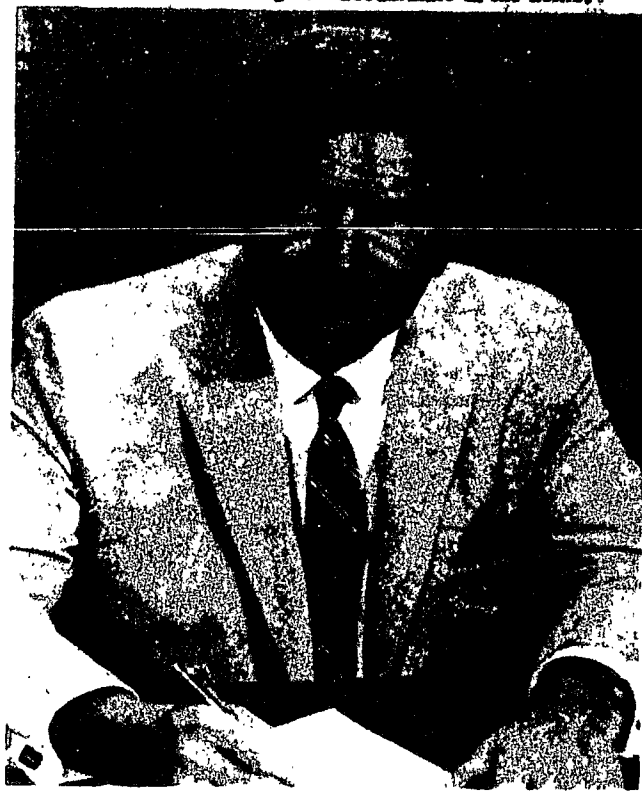
3. Provide a strong support for the tree by using a sturdy stand that has anchor clamps and a container which holds water. (Check water supply daily).

4. Keep the tree away from sources of heat such as fireplaces, etc.

5. Added protection may be had by spraying or dipping the tree in a thoroughly mixed solution of 5 ounces borax, 4 ounces boric acid, one gallon water, and one-half teaspoon of any low melting detergent.

out that all Christmas tree lighting should be turned off before the family goes out for an evening of Christmas entertainment or retires for the night.

Also, it is a good idea to collect and remove as soon as possible a 111 combustible Christmas wrappings as they accumulate in the home.



DEE HAMILTON

Hamilton Joins Hancock Bank

Leo W. Seal, Jr., president of Hancock Bank, announced today that Dee Hamilton had joined the bank Monday, December 16th. Prominent in Coast banking circles for the past decade, Hamilton also has a financial background of many years with the automobile finance division of General Motors (GMAC) in Jackson, New Orleans, and Gulfport offices.

Hamilton, a native of Jackson, graduated from the University of Mississippi, and did graduate work in banking and finance at Harvard and Columbia Universities. While serving with the Marine Corps in World War II, he was twice wounded and received five combat decorations.

Married to the former Frema Pray of McComb, the Hamiltons are members of the First Baptist Church in Gulfport where he formerly served as a deacon and superintendent of the Sunday School. He is on the Board of Directors of the Gulfport Area Chamber of Commerce and a member of the Gulfport Yacht Club. The Hamiltons reside at 116 Oakwood Drive in Mississippi City.

Three Workers Burned In Asphalt Explosion

Three men were admitted to Hancock General Hospital Tuesday afternoon for treatment of burns received when an asphalt storage tank exploded at 3:15 at the Hydo Construction Company plant off Hwy. 903.

Danny Phillips, a mechanic, of Forest, Miss., and Charles Ray Clark and William Wright, laborers from Kosciusko, Miss., were rushed to the hospital by fellow employees, where all are listed in good condition.

The blast occurred as asphalt was being heated in the tank, property of Forest Construction, a sub-contractor to Hydo Construction Co. on the U.S. 90 paving project. The victims were standing near the tank at the time of the explosion.

Fire fighting units from Bay St. Louis, Waveland and East Hancock arrived on the scene to extinguish the blaze.

Charles Ray Clark, when contacted by phone, described his injuries as painful, but not serious. He and Wright will be transferred to Jones Memorial Hospital in Kosciusko for further treatment. Phillips will be returned to Forest.

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Plan Yule Holidays At Busy City Session

A motion for a three-day Christmas holiday for city employees was passed by unanimous vote at the regular City Council meeting on Monday, December 16, and Mayor John Scaife directed to issue a proclamation accordingly. City offices will close at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, December 23, and will remain closed Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, re-opening at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, December 27.

Garbage collections will not be affected by the holiday period, and will continue as usual, noted Mayor Scaife.

In other action at the Monday meeting, the Bay St. Louis Municipal School System was authorized to borrow \$80,000 against anticipated and uncollected ad valorem taxes to defray current expenses, including the December payroll. The

The Council, seeking to obtain more complete medical coverage for employees, had previously requested the service upon the recommendation of the Mississippi Municipal Association. Noting that the plan offered by Mutual of New York provides increased life insurance and hospital bed rates, as well as major medical coverage and maternity benefits (neither of which are provisions of the policy presently in effect), the Council voted to purchase new coverage through Mutual of New York and to cancel its present policy with New York Life Insurance Co., both to become effective at midnight of the January anniversary date of the present policy. The new policy is to be offered at rates which approximate those pro-

vided by the present policy.

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PROGRESS at Hancock County Airport Facility are Tom Geiger, resident in- s- tal Saker Jr., Inc., airport project engineers and Elliott Casanova, member Port and Harbor Commission. First phase of concrete was poured on the apron last Thursday.

Christmas Schedules Set by Churches

Christmas season with masses, and special churches County.

of program

Gulf Church: Sacrament administered from 7 un- p.m., the present a mas Music of Mrs. J.

12:15 p.m. Conclude the Christ-

Holy Communion and Sermon 11:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Christmas Day, Holy Communion and Sermon 10 a.m.; Thursday, St. Stephen, Holy Communion 7:30 a.m.

Friday, St. John Evangelist, Holy Communion 7:30 a.m.; Saturday, Holy Innocents, Holy Innocents 10 a.m.; Sunday, First Sunday after Christmas, Holy Communion and Sermon, 7:30 a.m.; Family Service 10 a.m.; Holy Communion, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, New Year's Day, January 1, 1969, Holy Communion 10 a.m.

First Baptist: Special cantata at 7 p.m. Sunday, December 22, with combined choirs of the local churches. The program, entitled "Born a King," will be under the direction of Mrs. Toy Tedford and Mrs. Richard Ford. The public is invited.

Main Street United Methodist: Sunday - regular Sunday school services at 9:45 a.m. Morning worship 11 a.m.

First Presbyterian: Joy Gift service and presentation of a

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A demurrer requesting that an amendment to the charter be denied was sustained this week in the suit by the Commission for Better City Government against Bay St. Louis City officials. Philip in the matter was Chancellor Frank W. Alexander, who sustained this and a previous demurrer by stating that the Charter Court did not have jurisdiction.

Alexander is chancellor for Division III, 8th Chancery Court District, Gulfport.

The first demurrer, filed by Mayor John A. Scaife and Commissioners J. Cyril Glover and Warren E. Trans through city attorneys, was in reply to a memorandum to the original bill for intervention in which city officials asked judicial review

in their efforts to force city officials to call an election on the council-manager plan of government. Petitioning the court were E.J. Marengo, Dr. A.K. Martinovich, Jr., J. Norton Haas, Jr., Warren Carver, Earl Rampard, George di Benedetto, Norton Haas, Sr., A.K. Martinovich, Sr., and George S. Allison, who brought litigation

as a class action in behalf of petitioners for an election.

The petition calling for an election was filed with the City Clerk on December 1, 1967, and the suit arose out of controversy over the signatures thereon, the city's position being that the number of signatures petitioning was insufficient to call an election.

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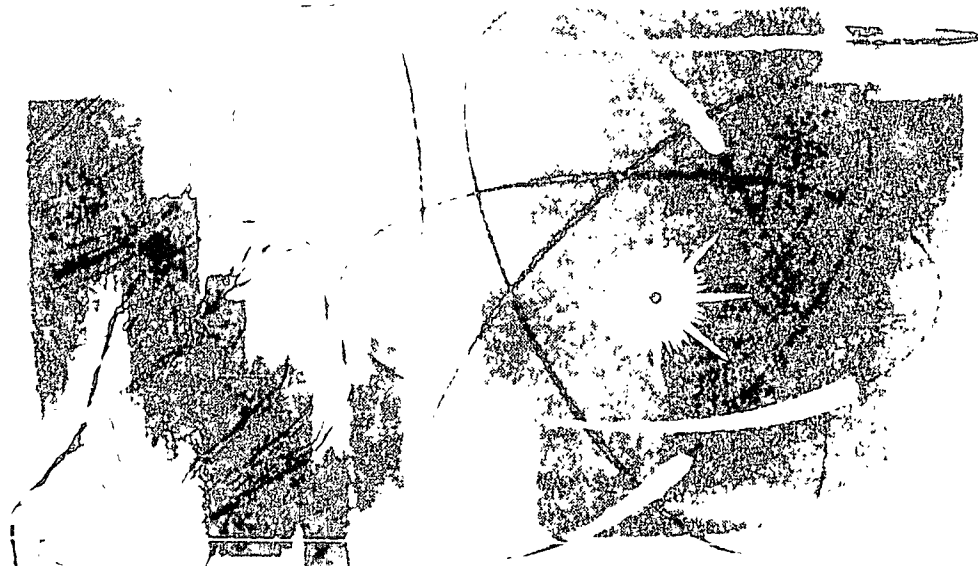
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MISS VALLON IRENE SEUZENEAU, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Seuzeneau, Jr., of Bay St. Louis, is one of three Bay St. Louis girls who will be presented by the Gulf Coast Debutante Society, Inc. in the Grand Ball Room of the Edgewater Hotel on Monday, Dec. 23. Miss Seuzeneau, a graduate of St. Joseph Academy, is a sophomore at the University of Mississippi where she is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma social sorority. She is the granddaughter of Mr. George L. Seuzeneau, Sr. and the late Mrs. Seuzeneau of Bay St. Louis and the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Remy of New Orleans. Miss Seuzeneau is a direct descendant of Don Juan Cuevas who left Spain to establish residency in Bay St. Louis over 100 years ago.

Baptist Hold Yule Buffet

The WMS of the First Baptist Church observed the period of prayer for foreign missions at a meeting last Wednesday at the Church. Mrs. E. C. Clark, who planned the program, gave the devotional and opening prayer.

The program, "Proclaiming his message," was presented by Mrs. Clark with Mesdames John Dearing and Lucien Favre participating. Mrs. Clark wrote and acted a monologue entitled "Keeping Christ in Christmas." The session closed with a chain of prayer led by Mrs. M. L. Hill.

City Sales Tax

Totals \$12,029

Sales tax collected by the State totaled \$12,029.74 for the month of October, according to J. Cyril Glover, City Clerk, who announced receipt of the check this week. This figure does not include a three percent collection charge which was deducted by the state.

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The Herald Angels Sing-Junior Gardeners' Theme

The Herald Angels Sing, an arrangement depicting the religious spirit of the First Christmas, was judged the best outstanding arrangement of the Tiger Lily High School Gardeners Christmas Arrangements Show on Monday, December 16. Carrying the name of the show's theme, the arrangement was by Mari Debenport who used a golden angel figurine with antique green candles and gold-tipped green foliage.

Open to the public, the event was held in the Home Economics Department of the Bay High School, and was seen by many students, faculty members, parents, and members of the Bay-Waveland Garden Club and the Lazy Daisies Junior Garden Club.

The winner was awarded a red and green rosette and a silver bud vase trophy in addition to a blue ribbon for the Class 1 entry.

Other Class 1 winners were Janet Sallinger, red ribbon; Jane Viguerie, yellow ribbon; Linda Rose, Honorable Mention.

Awards given in other classes are as follows:

Class 2, "We Wish You A Merry Christmas": Laurie Uram, blue ribbon; Eleanor Turnpseed, red ribbon;

Class 3, "It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like Christmas": Sarah Scruggs, blue ribbon; Eleanor Turnpseed, red ribbon; Susie Paul, yellow ribbon.

Class 4, "Joy To The World": Betty Snow, blue ribbon;

Class 5, "Jingle Bells": Susie Paul, blue ribbon; Mari Debenport, red ribbon; Laurie Uram, yellow ribbon; Eleanor Turnpseed, red ribbon; Jane Viguerie, yellow ribbon; Honorable Mention;

Class 6, "Gentle Mary": Jane Viguerie, blue ribbon; Mari Debenport, red ribbon;

Laurie Uram, yellow ribbon; Janet Sallinger, Carol Scruggs, Honorable Mention;

Class 7, "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen": Laurie Uram, blue ribbon; Jane Viguerie, red ribbon;

Class 8, "Santa Claus Is Coming To Town": Laurie Baxter, blue ribbon; Sarah Scruggs, red ribbon; Linda Fleming, yellow ribbon; Eleanor Turnpseed, red ribbon;

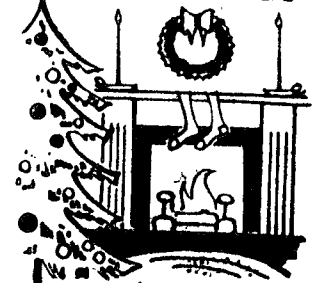
seed, Sammie Aubry, and Susie Paul, Honorable Mention. Silver semi-tasse spoons were given to all blue ribbon winners.

Judges of the show were Mrs. John Stern, Mrs. A. E. Volpe, and Mrs. J. J. O'Connell, all members of the Waveland Garden Club. The High School Club sponsored by the Bay-Waveland Garden Club, Mrs. J. J. O'Connell served as faculty sponsor.

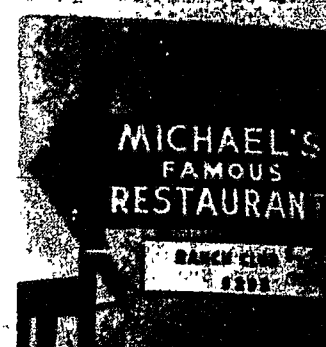
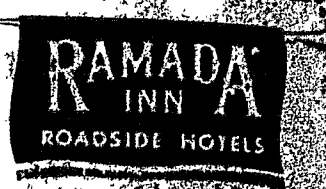
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A Conservative View

by James J. Kilpatrick

Taking one thing with another, it is hard to imagine how Richard Nixon could have gotten off to a better start in naming the team he will put on the field next month. Weak spots may develop, especially in a power struggle for control of urban affairs, but on the whole the prospect will appeal to most of those who share a conservative view.

This is not merely because the Cabinet happily fails to include a single Rockefeller--not even one--though this is cause for general jubilation. As Messrs. Nixon and Johnson observed last month, in a different context, the Constitution permits only one President to serve at a time. If Nelson Rockefeller had been given a Cabinet post, we would have had an unelected one too many.

About the only criticisms that have been heard since last Wednesday's TV spectacular, when Mr. Nixon stood up like Ed Sullivan and put on his show, are (1) that his nominees are for the most part inexperienced men, and (2) that the Cabinet lacks a pigeon-hole people. On examination, the first complaint fails to stand up. Taken as a group, members of the Nixon squad are at least as experienced as any other incoming team at such a stage of administration time. And if it is true that the Cabinet has "no Negro" and "no woman" and "no Jew," the short answer is that Mr. Nixon proposes to operate a government, not a smorgasbord.

Here in Chicago, where I happen to be taking the waters, the greatest enthusiasm naturally is directed toward the three Chicagoans named to high office--Davis M. Kennedy, to Treasury; George P. Shultz, to

Labor, and Robert P. Mayo to serve as Director of the Budget. By every local indication, these are superior men whose names will not remain unknown for long.

Kennedy seems especially likely to emerge as one of the really strong men of the Nixon administration. A handsome fellow, looking younger than his 63 years, he is known as a tight-fisted conservative in fiscal measures, but he is also known as a banker with a heart. Almost a year ago, long before a surtax finally was imposed in midsummer, he was pleading publicly for a tax increase to skim some top cream off the money supply. An authority in international finance, he is a sound-dollar man--and no funny business about it. Yet he has taken a leading role in Chicago in one humanitarian project after another.

In these efforts, Kennedy has had the constant support of his right-hand man, Robert Mayo. As a vice president of Continental Illinois Bank & Trust Company, Mayo has represented his bank in a group effort by Loop banks to encourage small business ventures among Negroes and other minority groups. He told the Sun-Times: "If a hippie wearing his beads and with his forehead painted green comes in, he'll get a hearing as long as he has a small business project."

This unconventional conservatism seems likely to be the common characteristic of the Nixon team. The nominees are not "set in their ways." Their

average age is 53, but this is deceptive, for Red Blount, who gives his age as 47, is a perpetual and ageless 32. William P. Rogers, as secretary of state, is about the only one whom unconstructed Southerners may view as inflexibly liberal--principally because of his coldness to apartheid from Little Rock to Johannesburg--but this antipathy may subside. Nixon will be his own secretary of state, anyhow.

The cloud on next year's horizon hovers over the control of programs in urban affairs. One perceives a considerable tribe of chiefs, none of whom intends to play Indian. Problems of the cities will fall variously within the reservations of Finch in Welfare, Romney in Housing, Volpe in Transportation, and Shultz in Labor. Apparently Daniel Patrick Moynihan is to sit cross-armed above them all, secure in his White House wigwam.

One doubts it will work out quite that way. Finch and Nixon are as close as two sardines in an unopened tin. Romney is about as easily suppressed as a tailgate explosion. And Moynihan, while he may look like a stack of uncooked buttermilk biscuits, is a tough character. If you want to speculate on the first one to go, before they've even sat down, Moynihan is a good bet.

Maybe it's the Christmas spirit, or perhaps it's just the old zing of Chicago, but Nixon's performance so far seems mighty promising. He's cutting a good Republican cloth coat--but it's a pattern with style and class and a nice attractive line above the knee.

Costly Security

Payroll deductions are monthly expenses that are easily overlooked except when we notice a decrease in "take home" pay.

"Take home" pay will drop again after the first of the year due to increases in our Social Security taxes. A person earning \$6,000 will pay \$288 for Social Security in 1969, which is an increase of \$24 over this year. This is the thirteenth time these taxes have been raised since the system was started in 1937, and all thirteen have come in the last fifteen years. In addition, further automatic increases are scheduled under present law as far into the future as 1987.

This increase is also adding to the tax cost of the employer, since he is required to match this tax dollar for dollar. Present law calls for increases until the combined payments of employee and employer reach over \$920 per year.

At the present level many people are actually paying more social security taxes than they are paying income taxes, and with future increases more people will find themselves in this position.

The main reasons for these increases are because more and more people are receiving benefits, and the amount of the benefits are constantly being raised by Congress.

The Mississippi Economic Council has long recommended that congressional consideration of proposed changes in the nation's social security should be made only after thorough and representative hearings are conducted by the appropriate congressional committees.

GUEST EDITORIAL

How God Answers Prayers

Sometimes we pray for what appears to be good and wonderful, and we are disappointed and discouraged because God doesn't seem to hear us. Yet, it takes only a little faith to see that, when God doesn't answer our prayers the way we wanted Him to, His own way of answering them is much better. This beautiful little story of the trees explains how it happens sometimes.

Three trees stood in a dense forest. They often wondered what would become of them when the woodsman cut them down. One day they decided to pray for what they wished to be when they were turned into lumber.

The first tree asked to become part of a beautiful palace, where kings and queens might dwell, where the great would come to gaze with amazement.

The second tree asked to become part of a great ship that would sail the seven seas, and travel around the world.

The third tree preferred to stay in the forest where he might grow into the tallest of all, and forever point like a finger to God.

Sometime later came a woodsman with saw and axe, and down went the first tree. But, instead of being made into a beautiful palace, it was made part of a common stable. Yet, in that stable a Virgin Mother and her husband took shelter on a certain night when a beautiful Baby was born. Ever since, kings and peasants, the great and the small, have honored that simple stable, and have echoed the song of the angels that night:

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to men of good will."

After thirty more years the second tree was chopped down, and its lumber was made, not into a mighty ship, but into a small boat that was launched on the Sea of Galilee. From that boat a tall, magnificent Man spoke to the multitudes on the shore, spoke a message that has sailed the seven seas, and reached all the shores of the world.

A few years later the third tree was felled. Its lumber was sawn into a cross, on which the Baby of our stable, who was later the Man in the boat, was devilishly nailed to die the most cruel death that beautiful men could devise. The wood of that tree stands not in the woods; it stands on all the hills of the world--pointing upward, pointing to God and God's heaven.

In this way the prayers of all three trees were answered in a more glorious way than they had ever dreamed. They didn't have their own way; but God's way was much better.

BEING POOR DOESN'T CAUSE PEOPLE TO BE CRIMINALS

The professional hand-wringers are at it again. Discussing the skyrocketing crime rate and the need for law and order at a press conference the other day, J. Edgar Hoover was asked about justice by one of the reporters. The FBI chief responded that justice was incidental.

Whatever amount of carping may be made about the observation will not provide justice for those who are murdered, raped or robbed and denied the protection they have paid for through taxation and to which they are entitled. Is it justice that statutory punishment is nullified through legalistic legdemania? Is it justice that a man who admits his crime should escape its penalty?

WE HAVE heard a great deal in recent years about poverty being responsible for crime. Some of the chief exponents of that theory have wrapped themselves in a cloak of alleged humanitarianism and urged that they be given access to the public treasury with the assurance that they could buy the handcuffs off. They haven't put it quite that bluntly, but it is the burden of their appeal.

The record, however, doesn't seem to confirm their representations. During a period when steadily increasing amounts of public money have been devoted to alleviation of poverty--and that in a period hailed as one of great prosperity--the rate of crime has accelerated beyond belief.

Great Britain has had a similar experience, according to Lord Justice John Passmore Widgery, of that nation's Court of Appeals. Addressing the American Bar Association in Philadelphia, he admitted he had accepted the view that, with the welfare state established in his country, crime would taper off.

SOMEWHAT RUEFULLY, he conceded that, in spite of all that had been done to eliminate slums and wipe out poverty, the evidence revealed that crime is continuing to rise in Britain about as fast as it is here.

And when another speaker suggested that we must rely more on public housing and more handouts to combat crime, Judge Widgery commented: "Anyone here who believes that relief of poverty will bring a decrease in crime is in for some kind of disappointment."

We've known a lot of poor people; and they weren't criminals. But no one encouraged them to believe that they could get--or take--something for nothing.

THE ABERDEEN EXAMINER

W.H. Scholinkamp

Wilmot Herbert Scholinkamp, 71, died at 2:15 a.m., Saturday, December 14, at his residence, 124 Boardman Avenue.

A former New Orleans resident, Mr. Scholinkamp has lived in Bay St. Louis for the past 11 years.

He was a retired chief cashier of the Railway Express Agency in New Orleans and a member of the Lutheran Church of the Pines, Waveland.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Eudice Scholinkamp, Bay St. Louis, and a brother, Harvey Scholinkamp, New Orleans.

Funeral services were held

G.W. Green

George William Green, Sr., 69, of Bay St. Louis, died at 4 p.m., Monday, Dec. 16, on arrival at Hancock General Hospital in Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Green was born Oct. 5, 1912, in Waveland. He was a member of the Catholic Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Helen Elizabeth Green, Green, Church Street, Bay St. Louis; Green Jr., Bay

Our readers write

Editor, Sea Coast Echo:

I am a newcomer to Hancock County and still very naive about local politics, so I have a few questions that have been puzzling me. First who is this group led by some doctor Martinovich, who would deprive decent school buildings, in order to grind some sort of political axe in Bay St. Louis?

Who does this group represent, what are their motives, and what plans do they have for the future of Bay St. Louis?

Are they really against bond issues and higher taxation, or do they merely wish to delay them until some one in their group can gain political power and they can then reap such fringe (benefits) as legal fees, surveys contracts, etc., etc.

Are they really the crusaders for civil rights that their Dec. 5 advertisement would have us believe or did they merely interject this issue to get out the colored vote to defeat the school board?

Since almost everyone (even I) knows that the public schools lost their federal aid because federal bureaucrats insisted on busing in order to have complete integration, may we assume that if this "protest group" gains political power that we will have busing in order to achieve the social changes the federal government advocates? Is this what the people of Bay St. Louis really want?

I'm afraid it's all a bit too confusing for a simple housewife like myself to understand.

DODIE SANDS

Editor, Sea Coast Echo:

This is the last letter the Kila V.F.W. Post 6285 shall write to or about the Bay St. Louis V.F.W. Post 3253 as far as awards, V.F.W. Post of Kila is first in the district. But who are we, a post that has only been organized 2 years less with a post as old as Post 3253. After all we have worked to get the 3 acres of land we own and have had cleared for our future home that we are in the process of getting and we are not asking anybody for anything for nothing.

Signed:
PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER
W. J. CARVIN

St. Louis; Wayne and Patrick Green, Clermont Harbor; three daughters, Mrs. Wayne Cornell, Waveland, Miss Pamela Green and Miss Renee Green, Clermont Harbor; his mother, Mrs. Amelia Bourgeois Powers, Lakeshore, one brother, Victor Green, Jr., Lakeshore, four sisters, Mrs. Sam Beniger, Mrs. Everett Peterson, Bay St. Louis; Mrs. Kate Thompson, Goodyear, N. Mex.; and Mrs. Harold Garcia, Clermont Harbor.

Reception of the body was at 8 p.m., Tuesday at Riemann Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis.

A prayer service was held Wednesday afternoon at 1:15 at the funeral home chapel followed by service at 3 p.m. in St. John's Catholic Church at Lakeshore. Interment was in Lakeshore Cemetery.

Nixon Will Face This

By Drew Pearson



Probably the most important and immediate problem Richard Nixon will face after Jan. 20 will be the issue which he talked a great deal about during the campaign--crime in the streets, and with it, race relations.

The problem has become more difficult because more than eighty per cent of the Negro vote went against Nixon, and the first Negro to be elected to the Senate in 100 years, Sen. Edward Brooke, R-Mass., has now declined to serve in his Cabinet.

Brooke's declination was based largely on the fact that he did not want to surrender a position of power and prestige in the United States Senate. However, events preceding Brooke's veto of a Cabinet position illustrate the general skepticism of Negro moderates regarding the policies of the new President.

Brooke himself was personally alarmed when, last October, Nixon delivered a speech in North Carolina stating that, while he would back the Supreme Court's 1954 desegregation decision, he would leave the methods of enforcement up to local communities. Federal funds, he indicated, would not be used as a weapon to enforce integration.

This is exactly what Southern communities have argued for and what Negro leaders have argued against. Negroes claim that local white opposition to desegregation has held back anything but token integration in large parts of the South. They point out that 14 years have passed since the Supreme Court's historic decision and there is still no real desegregation in the South.

Sen. Brooke was in Boston at the time Nixon delivered his North Carolina speech, but he immediately sought an interview with the candidate and conveyed the view of Negro leaders.

Nixon replied that he had been misquoted.

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tion this, and remained loyal to the Republican candidate throughout the campaign. However, he was the only prominent Negro who did. Whitney Young, head of the Urban League, even remarked that any Negro who didn't know which candidate to vote for "deserved slavery."

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Despite his official loyalty, however, Sen. Brooke has confided to close friends that he has been worried about Nixon's position on integration, and the very important part which Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., the leading Senate segregationist, is slated to play in picking Supreme Court justices and Federal judges for the South.

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"That is why," Nixon continued, "instead of talking about billions more for federal jobs and federal housing, federal laws, . . . I am talking about building bridges to human dignity, . . . rather than to try to satisfy some professional civil rights group or something like that, that we will be the child from one side of the county over to the other."

Nixon also spoke at the hush-hush Southern delegates meeting on the question of open housing.

"Open housing," he said, "my position is the same as Congressman Jerry Ford's. It ought to be handled at the state level rather than the federal level."

It was Sen. Jerry Ford, Republican House Leader, who blocked the open housing bill last spring at a time when

the same bill was being passed by Congress. Ford's position was that the federal government should not interfere in local housing matters.

Now, with Nixon's appointment of Sen. Brooke to his Cabinet, it is clear that the federal government is taking a strong stand on the issue of open housing.

It is this stand that has caused the skepticism of Negro moderates regarding the policies of the new President.

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CIRCUIT COURT
NO. 449
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: CHRISTOPHER
CARSON and wife, JACQUELINE E. CARSON, 1015 North Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

You are summoned to appear before the Circuit Court of the County of Hancock, said State, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1969, to defend the suit in 4448 in said Court of Christopher Carson, Inc. for judgment of possession of the personal property described in said suit, wherein you are defendant.

This 10th day of December A. D. 1968.
(SEAL) LAMAROTTE

By Carolyn C. Ring, D.C.
12/12, 12/19, 12/26-1/2/69
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
HANCOCK COUNTY
EXECUTORS NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NO. 10,503
OF JOSEPH R. THOMPSON

Letters testamentary having been granted on the 10th day of December, 1968, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of JOSEPH R. THOMPSON, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 16th day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1968.
BERYL RICHMOND THOMPSON
SON EXECUTRIX
12/19, 12/26-1/2, 1/9/69

CHANCERY SUMMONS
NO. 10,597

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF ARNAUD NECAISE; UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF WILTON NECAISE; UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF LOUIS NECAISE; AND ANY AND ALL PERSONS having or claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit: S 1/2 of SE 1/4, Section 31, Township 6, South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi;

You are summoned to appear on or before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said state on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1969 before 5:00 P.M., to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint and to appear before me at 2:30 P.M. on the 10th day of January, 1969 at the Chancery Court room in Gulfport, Miss., to show cause, if any they can, why Roger M. Goh should not be declared the true, legal and equitable owners of the land hereinabove described, being suit #10,597.

The same being a suit to quiet and confirm complainant's title to said land above described wherein you are a defendant.

This 9th day of December, A. D. 1968.
(SEAL) MARIE E. QUINTINI
Chancery Clerk
Lila Ladner, D.C.
12/12, 12/19, 12/26-1/2/69

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
CAUSE NO. 10,682

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Louis J. Banderet, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 9th day of December, 1968; therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered with the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to do so probate and registration in six months will bar the claim.

This, the 12th day of December, A. D. 1968.
MRS. ELISIE BANDERET,
Administratrix of the Estate of Louis J. Banderet, Deceased.

12/12, 12/19, 12/26-1/2/69
President Johnson and Democratic leaders were trying to pry the bill out of the House Rules Committee where Chairman William Colmer, the Mississippi Dixiecrat, had it firmly stymied.

There are some of the reasons why the one Negro in the U.S. Senate, even though a Republican, decided to turn down the very flattering offer of a post in the Nixon Cabinet.

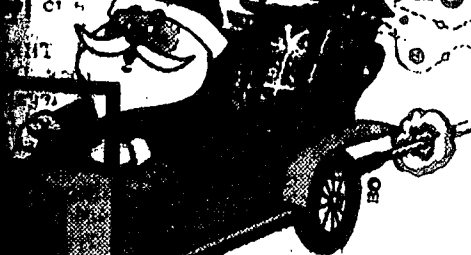
WHAT'S MY LINE?
John Daly, debonair former master of ceremonies for "What's My Line?" is asking to be head of the U.S. Information Agency under Nixon.

His been pulling wires with the GOP hierarchy in New York. Daily recently resigned in a huff as head of the Voice of America, which is part of USA, America, which is its top boss.

Now he wants to be its top boss. When Leonard Marks hired Daly after he lost his "What's My Line?" job with CBS, Sen. Karl Mundt, author of the Information Act, raised so many questions. But after Daly resigned in a huff, Mundt did comment: "I like you fellows who want to interfere with what we're doing," Mundt told Director Marks. "But I could have told you that glamor doesn't mean ability."

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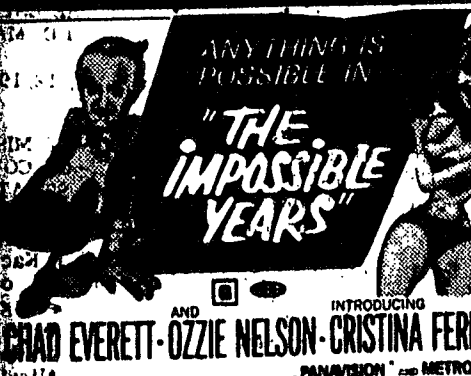
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3 Big Victories Wrapped Up for Rocks

By Keith Ladner
The St. Stanislaus Rock-A-Chavs rolled up three big wins last week, downing St. Johns (Gulfport) 74-43, Poplarville 67-44, and St. Mary's (Mobile) 67-45.

In the first game the Rocks put forth their best defensive effort of the season so far downing St. Johns 74-43.

The Rocks got off to a cold start and fell behind 11-10 at the end of the first quarter.

However, the Rocks came fighting back in the second quarter to outscore the Eagles 24-14 and take the lead 34-25 at half.

The Rocks pulled further ahead in the third quarter and lead 52-37 going into the last quarter. In the last quarter the Rocks outscored the Eagles 22-6 to win 74-43.

Friday night the Rocks then traveled to Poplarville where they dropped the Poplarville Hornets 67-44.

In the first quarter the Rocks, aided by Mike Gemelli's 10 points, lead 18-15.

In the second quarter the Hornets outscored the Rocks 18-14 to tie it up at half 30-30.

In the third and fourth quarters the Rocks put together a combined defensive and offensive effort to outscore the Hornets 17-9 and 20-9 to win 67-44.

High scorer for the Rocks was Mike Gemelli with 25 followed by Mike Meyers with 14, and St. Mary's Curtis with 11.

Gemelli was also high scorer in the first game with 18 followed by Meyers and Gravolet with 12 each.

In the last game St. Stanislaus played host to St. Mary's of Mobile gaining their fifth win to one loss.

The Rocks never trailed the Vikings leading at the end of the first quarter 18-11, and leading at half 38-19. The Rocks pulled further ahead at the end of the third quarter leading 55-31. The Vikings outscored the Rocks in the last quarter 14-12 but the Rocks were too far out of reach winning 67-45.

The St. Stanislaus Rock-A-Chavs of Coach Bob Cuccaro are now 5-1.

Tuesday the Rocks will travel to Ocean Springs to meet the Greyhounds. Thursday the Rocks travel to New Orleans to take part in the Newman

tournament where they play Rummel High.

Mike Gemelli fouled 12 against the Vikings but went on to be high scorer with 19 points.

All Lovings (31) grab rebound from Brakett (32) of St. Mary's Mobile. Rocks in route to 67-45 victory.

William Carey Crusaders Powerful

The William Carey College Crusaders are sporting a perfect 3-0 record for the season.

The Crusaders won their first contest over Nicholls State at Nicholls by a 87-78 margin. They then returned home where they took Pensacola Navy 108-80.

Then on December 10 the Crusaders beat Northeast Louisiana State 79-78 after trailing by 15 points at the half.

Jim Arnold, a 5-11 sophomore guard, is pacing the Crusader scoring with a 16.7 average. He also leads in assists with 10 per game. Mike Brothers a 6-7 junior center, has a 14.0 scoring average and leads the team in rebounding with a 9.7 average.

Ricky Ferroll, a 6-9 sophomore forward, is averaging 13.7 points per game. Other Crusaders averaging in double figures are: Larry Johnson with an 11.7 average, Mike Brothers with a 10.3 average, and Chuck Harlan with a 10-point average.

Jim Arnold holds the mark for most points in a single game with 27 while Mike Brothers holds the single game mark for rebounds with 13. Both marks came against Pensacola Navy.

From the field the Crusaders have hit on 105 out of 215 shots for 48 percent while the opposition has hit on 98 out of 206 for 47 percent. From the free throw line Carey has connected on 58 out of 90 for 65 percent with their opponents hitting 50 out of 80 for 63 percent.

In regard to the three consecutive wins by the Crusaders head coach John O'Keefe stated, "If we can continue to get the real team effort that we have received in the last three games and continue to improve our defense we should be able to play anybody on our schedule."

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FRIGID FISH

The hard-to-explain disappearance of game fish during the winter months can be most perplexing, especially when the fishin' itch in a guy's casting arm doesn't respect a seasonal layoff.

For many fishermen, cold weather and lack of prospects are tolerated without too much complaint. But ask the experts at Mercury Outboards, what's a man going to do when he still wants to go fishing, regardless of the elements?

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Fish, being cold-blooded creatures, are permitted by nature to maintain bodily functions at a speed regulated by the surrounding temperatures. The colder it gets, the more sluggish they become, and the less food is required to sustain life.

Yet they do feed on a limited scale, and can be induced to hit a baited hook on occasion. Drop your offering in the deepest holes, where the water will be warmest. Bottom springs, when known, are excellent spots. Fresh water entering from tributaries carries oxygen and stirs up the frigid lake in a localized area, creating another preferred fish location.

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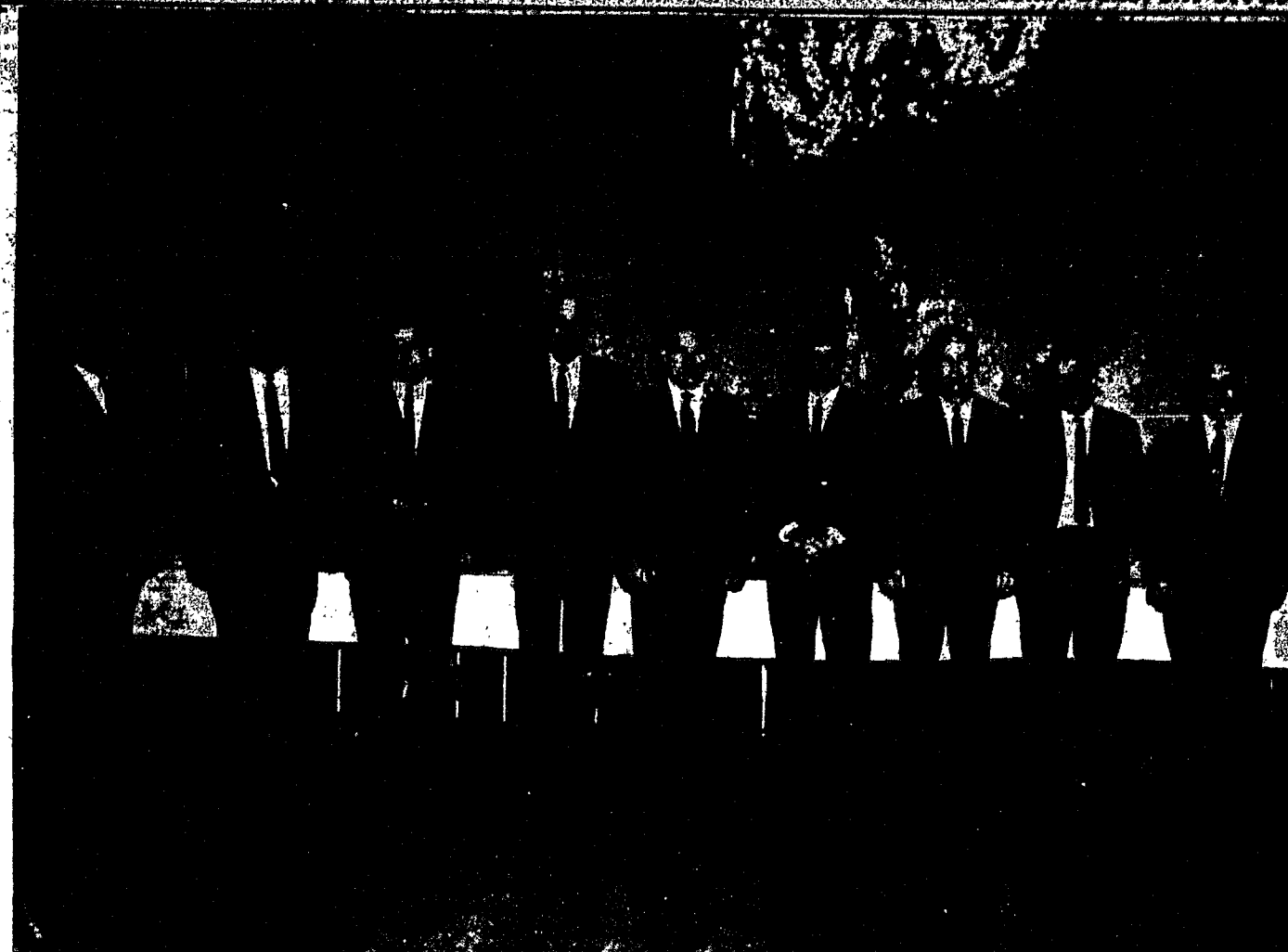
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 J. C. (Peck) MAFFRAY, BEAT 4



NEW BOARD OF DIRECTORS of North American Rockwell Corporation's Management Club at MTF who were installed at a dinner dance meeting on Friday, Dec. 18. (MNA Photo)

NMA Officers Installed At Buffet Dinner, Dance

New Officers of North American Rockwell Corporation's Management Club at MTF were installed at a dinner dance meeting at Pinewood Country Club, Slidell, Friday, December 13.

After a cocktail social hour and buffet dinner, featuring roast rounds of beef, fried chicken with assorted salads and relishes, outgoing President J. T. "Jack" Seltzer introduced Mr. Charles E. Nelson, Southeast Region Manager for the National Management Association.

Mr. Nelson conducted a brief installation ceremony for the new officers.

President, J.S. Bruce; vice-president, W.H. Seltzer; secretary, D. F. Campion; treasurer, C.J. Callahan and C.W. Campbell, W.F. Gandy, G.R. Todd, H. C. Weston, directors.

Jack Seltzer then presented the Club's Gavel to its new President and expressed his appreciation to the outgoing officers for their help in achieving a very successful year. He made special mention of the services rendered by Darryl Adams, club secretary, "Hoot" Lambert, Stu Jones, Roger White, and Tom Curtis, whose wife, Ellen, worked very hard in promoting club activities with selection and purchase of raffle prizes.

After the installation and short business session, all 125 members and guests danced to the music of Boyd Hunt and his "Dimensions in Sound" group.

Waveland 4-H's Exchange Gifts

Twelve members of Waveland 4-H Club enjoyed a Christmas party Thursday at the Waveland Methodist Church.

Gifts were exchanged and Christmas carols sung by the group.

Mrs. Maurice George and Mrs. Henry Stiller, leaders, met with the girls.

Bay Residents' Granddaughter Receives Award

Miss Joan E. Hoffman, a junior at Archbishop Chappel High School, Metairie, La., received the following after entering her essay in the National Essay Contest, sponsored by the Washington Crossing Foundation.

It reads as follows:
 "Joan E. Hoffman, Archbishop Chappel's Hi School, Metairie.

Congratulations on winning an Honorable Mention award and \$25 in our National Essay Contest. If you can provide transportation, we would be honored to have you as a guest at the luncheon to be held at Washington Crossing and the award ceremony at the Washington Crossing Building.

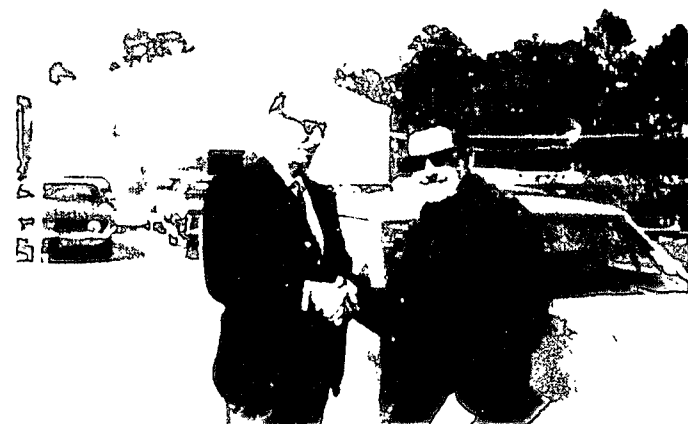
Signed: Ann Hart Cunton, Chairman of the Board, Washington Crossing Foundation.

Miss Hoffman is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Hoffman (nee Joan Elliott) of Metairie, La. and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.S. "Doc" Elliott of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Blue Jeans

Blue Jeans Garden Club held its annual luncheon and Christmas party with exchange of gifts Monday in Moody's Banquet Room, Gulfport, with nine members attending.

Installation of officers for the coming year was postponed until the January meeting because of the absence of the outgoing president, Mrs. Eugene Dutilho.



SALESMAN HERB BARON STANDS WITH THOMAS WILSON AND HIS NEW SECOND CAR.

I live in Pass Christian and work for York Air Conditioning in New Orleans.

I am strictly a Chevrolet man and a good friend of mine suggested that I see Herb Baron at Lamar-Lane in Bay St. Louis for the second car I needed. In just two hours I had the car I liked and was ready to ride home in it.

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Martinolich Son Baptized Sunday

Stephen, later Martinolich, infant son of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Martinolich Jr., was baptized Sunday afternoon in the church of the Gulf Catholic Church with the Rev. John Noyes officiating. Godparents were Miss Lucien Favre and brother Kenny Martinolich.

A family reception at the Martinolich home followed the christening.

RAMSEY'S wishes each and everyone the merriest of holidays.



Here's hoping you have the merriest of holidays.
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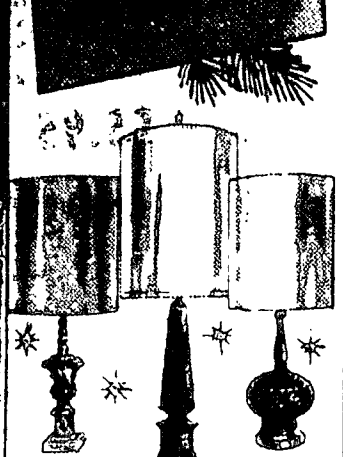
A Peaceful Christmas

The peace of Christmas lives anew in song and story. May your joys be many, as are these thanks to you

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Discover Burglary

Local authorities reported a burglary last week at the home of Adm. Edward F. Beyer on Beyer Drive. Total extent of the theft has not been determined beyond missing silverware, some shirts, and five or six bottles of Scotch whiskey.

The incident was discovered on Saturday, Dec. 14, when Adm. Beyer returned home after a stay in New Orleans with his wife who is ill. Entry had been gained by prying open a back door.

Highway patrolman Robert Parker assisted Chief Lathon Garriga in his investigation.

AND NOW... A GRRR-EAT Christmas



Wishing you the best of all things—good luck, good health, and much happiness. Thanks for your trust!

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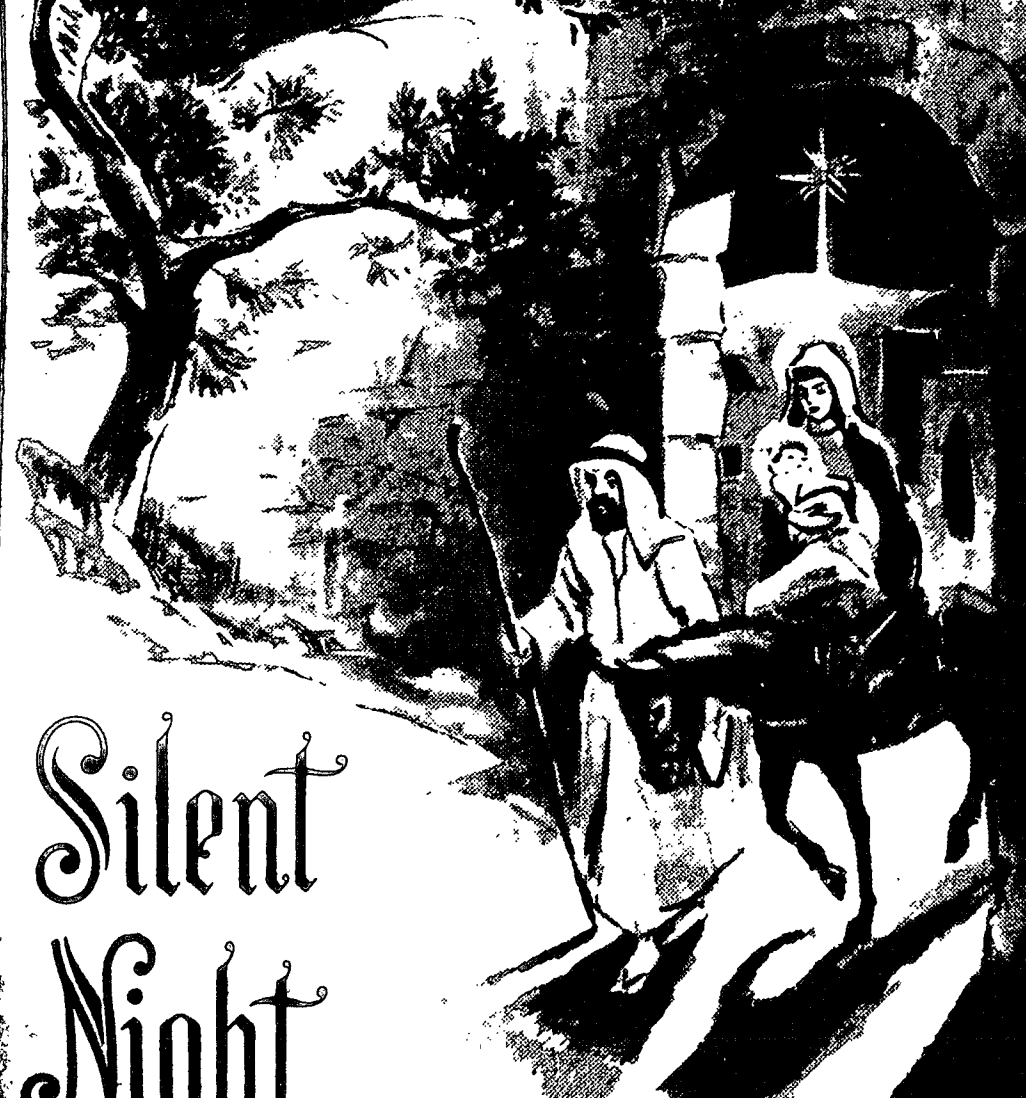


Merry Christmas

The best of hopes are extended to you for a warm happy holiday with friends you hold near and dear. And it is time to thank you for your loyal patronage.

FRED HOAGLAND FORD

BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.



Silent Night

As the story of the first Christmas unfolds in churches and homes across the land, may you and yours share in its hope for "Peace on Earth, Good Will to All Men."

SHERIFF
W. A. (Fred) CURET and FAMILY

CYO Lists Yule Plans

Our Lady of the Gulf CYO will have a Christmas dance Saturday, December 20, in O. L. G. School cafeteria. Music for dancing from 8 to 12 p.m. will be furnished by The Palace Guards.

Donation will be \$2 stag and \$3.50 per couple.

Our Lady of the Gulf CYO is conducting a Toys for Tots drive. All donations will be greatly appreciated.

Gulf View Haven Rest Home has been decorated for Christmas by Our Lady of the Gulf CYO members, and the group is planning a party for the patients some time before Christmas.

Rev. Richard Somers announced O.L.G. C.Y.O. will have their Christmas party Monday.

Christmas...

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play, "Who is This Babe of Bethlehem?" in the church sanctuary by the Youth Organization at 8:30 p.m., December 24.

A social will follow in Fellowship hall after which time the young people of the church, accompanied by adult leaders, will go caroling.

December 29, Rev. Dwyn Mounier, Jr., pastor First Presbyterian Church, Columbus, Ga., will deliver the message at the 11 a.m. service. Young people of the church will conduct the 7:30 p.m. service.

St. Clare's Catholic Church, Waveland; Christmas Eve Midnight Mass. St. Clare's School choir will sing the Mass. Christmas Day Masses 7-9 and 11 a.m.

St. Henry's Chapel: Christmas Day Mass at 8:30 a.m. St. Augustine Seminary: Christmas Eve, Midnight Mass; Christmas Day, Mass 9 a.m. St. Joseph's, Pearlport: Christmas Eve, Midnight Mass; Christmas Day, Mass 8 a.m. St. John's Lakeshore: Christmas Day, Mass, 8 a.m. St. Rose de Lima Catholic Church: Church will open at 11 p.m., Tuesday, December 24. 11:30 p.m. Organ music; 11:45 p.m. Crib procession; 12 Midnight Mass.

Christmas Day: Masses 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. There will be no evening Mass. Confessions Tuesday, December 24 from 4 to 8:30 p.m.

Annunciation, Kiln: Christmas Eve, Midnight Mass. Christmas Day - Mass 8 a.m. Infant of Prague, White Cypress: Christmas Eve, Midnight Mass; Christmas Day, Mass 8:30 a.m.

St. Louis Catholic Church, Rocky Hill: Christmas Day, Mass 10:30 a.m.

St. Joseph's, Fenton: Christmas Day, Mass 9:30 a.m. Confessions before Mass or anytime upon request.

St. Ann's, Clermont Harbor: Christmas Eve, Midnight Mass; Christmas Day, Mass 10 a.m.

Waveland Baptist: Christmas program 7 p.m., Sunday, December 22, by youth of the church under the direction of Gray Wade.

Christmas Day Services 7 p.m.

One Committed, Two on Probation

Committed to the Columbus Training School at Columbus, Mississippi, on Wednesday, December 18, was a 19-year-old boy from Hancock County. Also heard by Youth Court Judge Michael D. Hays were cases involving another 16-year-old and a 16-year-old, both of whom were placed on probation. One of the latter was in violation of an earlier probation in Harrison County, and was ordered to report to Youth Court authorities there on January 2.

The cases involved traffic violations in the Bay St. Louis City Court and a truck fire at the DK Service Station on Hwy. 90 which caused an estimated \$2,000 worth of damage to the truck.

The meeting will be at 7 p.m. with a bay ride at 7:30 followed by a party in the Parish Hall.

FIRE PLUG...

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fell asleep at the wheel. Only minor damages to the car were reported. Johnson is the son of Bill Johnson of Bay St. Louis.

Repairs to the broken plug required several hours, full water service not being entirely restored until about noon.

PLAN YULE...

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seemly being paid by City employees, who bear the cost of coverage, and carries no exclusions for individuals presently in the employ of the City. Persons whose term of service begins on or after the new policy's effective date will experience certain waiting periods for full coverage.

A discussion was opened on the use of Seminary Drive and Ulman Ave. by the Greyhound Bus Co. in providing bus service for the residents of the City. The size and weight of busses and the poor driving conditions that result from the present condition of the streets make it necessary, feels the Council, to request that Greyhound make provisions to re-route their busses. In addition, parking facilities are inadequate at the terminal, frequently creating a hazardous situation during the loading and unloading of busses. No provisions have ever been made either for paying the terminal's entrance or other walking areas. Commissioner Glover was appointed to contact Greyhound's transportation department to discuss with them the possibilities of the company's relocating its Bay St. Louis terminal and to request the re-routing of its trips in and out of the City.

Other topics discussed by the Council, but tabled for later consideration, included:

Investigation and study by Mayor Scarife and Mr. Price, Mississippi Power Co. engineer, of street light installations in anticipation of replacing the present antiquated incandescent system north of Hwy. 90 with a mercury vapor lighting system;

Lack of progress in efforts to obtain TV Cable service for Bay St. Louis through the facilities of WROA;

Possibilities of obtaining State and or Federal funds for a lighting system for the approximate two-mile stretch of Hwy. 90 now under construction and leading into Bay St. Louis. Costs are estimated to run between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

Voiding of 1961 easements on the section of sand beach property not being used nor expected to be used, and including, in general, the area from McDonald Lane, Commissioner Traub was appointed to obtain description of lots that will be involved. Easements were obtained during construction of the present four-lane concrete pavement on U.S. 90.

Legal notices

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on June 9, 1967, George Anderson, executor of the Estate of Herbert R. Anderson, Trustee, for the benefit of Jim Waller Corporation, which Deed of Trust is recorded in Book 180 at Page 387 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi;

AND WHEREAS, this Deed of Trust was assigned to Mid-State Homes, Inc., by instrument dated June 19, 1967 and recorded in Book 141 at Page 44 in the office of the Chancery Clerk aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS, the owner and holder of the aforesaid Deed of Trust has duly substituted and appointed William L. Waller as Substituted Trustee in the place and stead of the aforesaid original Trustee, by instrument dated November 8, 1968 and recorded in Book 127 at Page 879 in the office of the Chancery Clerk aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, and the holder of the Note and Deed of Trust having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee so to do, I will, on the 14th day of January, 1969, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during legal hours, between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., at the main front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Lots 60, 61, 62 and 63 square 138, unit #7, Shoreline Park Subdivision on file and of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

Lots 7 through 12, and Lots 15 through 22, Block 1, ANNA HENRY SUBDIVISION, Fourth Ward, Town of Waveland, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official plat of said Subdivision on file in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi.

Together with all and singular the rights, privileges, improvements and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining.

I will convey only such title as is vested in me as substituted trustee.

ADVERTISED, POSTED AND DATED, this 19th day of December, A. D. 1968.

J. RUBLE GRIFFIN
Substituted Trustee
12/19, 12/26, 1/3-1/9/69

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NO. 10,688

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of JOHN GOULD, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 3rd day of December, 1968, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.

This 3rd day of December, 1968.

BEATRICE ELMORE CADDY
Administratrix
12/5, 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/68

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK NOTICE TO NEWSPAPERS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, will receive bids until 10:00 o'clock a.m., Monday, January 6, 1969, for publishing the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, as provided by law. The successful bidder will furnish bond to be approved by this Board in the amount legally required, and the Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 2nd day of December, 1968.

(SEAL) MARIE E. QUINTINI
Clerk of Board of Supervisors Hancock County, Mississippi.
12/5, 12/12, 12/19-12/26/68

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS. NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids shall be received by the Commission Council of the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, to be delivered to the Clerk of said Council until ten (10:00) o'clock a.m., on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1969, at the City Hall in said city and then there to be publicly opened and read aloud for furnishing the following for use of the City Fire Department:

One 11' 6" x 9' 6" 24 gauge steel overhead door with low headroom track, installed complete including taking down of old door and setting in place for new door (for approximately \$1,000.00).

One 11' 6" x 10' 6" 24 gauge steel overhead door with low headroom track, installed complete including taking down of old door and setting in place for new door (for approximately \$1,000.00).

Committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This 10th day of December, A. D. 1968.

City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi (SEAL) J. Cyril Glover, City Clerk
12/18-12/19/68

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI HANCOCK COUNTY CO-EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NO. 10,687

of ESTATE OF HALMA M. HATCH, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary having been granted on the 3rd day of December, 1968, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Halma M. Hatch, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 3rd day of December, A. D. 1968.

HUGH M. MILNE, Co-Executor
ROBERT C. DELONG, Co-Executor
12/5, 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/68

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF WAYNE NOTICE OF SALE OF LIEU LANDS IN HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Supervisors of Wayne County, Mississippi, that certain lieu lands belonging to Wayne County, Mississippi, shall be sold according to law to the highest bidder, said lands being described as follows, to-wit:

All the NE 1/4, Section 16, Township 5 South, Range 16 West; and Beginning at a point 6.16 chains South of the Northeast Corner of the NE 1/4 of NW 1/4; thence South 12.29 chains; thence West 20.09 chains to the West line of said NE 1/4 of NW 1/4; thence North 12.29 chains; thence East to beginning, containing 24.69 acres, and being in Section 25, Township 5 South, Range 16 West, said land comprising a total of 184.69 acres.

Applications for the purchase of said land shall be postmarked no later than midnight, January 10, 1969, and such application shall not be made for more than 160 acres of the said land by any one purchaser. Applications for the purchase of said land may be secured from the Chancery Clerk's Office, Waynesboro, Mississippi, or from the State Land Commission, State Office Building Jackson, Mississippi, and said applications shall be subject to the approval of the State Land Commission and of the Superintendent of Education and Board of Supervisors of Wayne County, Mississippi.

Notice of the successful purchaser, if any, of said land shall be given on or before February 1, 1969.

The Wayne County Board of Supervisors hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This 11th day of December, 1968.

T. J. GORDON, CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS WAYNE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI.
12/19, 12/26-1/2/69.

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ROBERT C. DELONG, Co-Executor
12/5, 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/68

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NO. 10,686

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Charles J. Boudreaux, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 18th day of December, 1968, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of Court and to have them probated and allowed within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.

This 16th day of December, 1968.

MRS. DORIS H. BOUDREAUX
Administratrix
12/19, 12/26, 1/3-1/9/69

CHANCERY SUMMONS

NO. 10,664

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI TO LUDIA SWARTZ LANEY c/o SAND BAR, GROVES, TEXAS.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the THIRD Monday of February, A. D. 1969, to defend the suit No. 10,664 in said Court of RAYMOND LEON LANEY, wherein you are a defendant.

This 13th day of December, A. D. 1968.

MARIE E. QUINTINI, Chancery Clerk (SEAL)
by: Lila Lader, D. C.
12/19, 12/26, 1/2, 1/9/69

Legal notices

COUNTY OF HANCOCK STATE OF MISSISSIPPI NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that certain lands belonging to Hancock County, Mississippi, shall be sold according to law to the highest bidder, said lands being described as follows, to-wit:

1. Gasoline - regular premium (specify with case attached amount of each) lubricating oil, two (No. 2), diesel oil, needed to County owned vehicles as at points designated by the Board (prospective bidders cautioned to bid a stable price for the period of this merchandise, or an alternate bid may be made quoting tank prices at time of delivery with given discount.

2. Tires and tubes including those for automotive, truck, tractors, road grading machines and others, bid must be based on furnishing first grade or first line tires and tubes to be delivered to points designated in Hancock County by the Board.

3. Grader blades, parts for road machinery and related merchandise.

4. Metal culverts all sizes (prospective bidders for metal culverts must furnish certificates of analysis along with bid on this item) delivered FOB Hancock County, truck load and less to points designated in Hancock County by the Board.

5. Concrete culverts, by road and sewer delivered FOB truck load or less as when needed to points designated in Hancock County by the Board of Supervisors.

6. Gravel, all sizes, sand, clay soil, dirt fill, reef shells, oyster shells, clam shells, (prospective bidder shall state delivery prices and pit prices of either.

7. Cement by the sack and, ready mix concrete, classes AA, A, B, C, and D to be delivered on four (4) hour notice, failure to comply with this requirement will give the Board the right to cancel the contract to meet highway specifications by the cubic yard, delivered and when needed to points designated in Hancock County, also reinforcement steel both matting, half inch and three quarter round.

8. Bridge timber, all sizes, oak, pine and cypress, both treated and untreated, also crosscut piling, all sizes, the driving of piling both crosscut, timber and steel per lineal foot and also the furnishing and driving of piling per lineal foot, up to 65 feet (specifications on file with the Clerk of the Board.

9. Cold mix and hot mix asphalt to meet highway specifications delivered FOB, Bay St. Louis, Miss., also plant prices, also AC-15 Asphalt, MC-SE Asphalt prime, also slag carload lots, FOB Bay St. Louis, Miss.

10. Complete mortuary services for paupers, Hancock County (specify in bid type of casket and service to be rendered).

11. Precast Bridge slabs, caps, rails, post and filler blocks.

12. For the publication of all legal notices for the County as required by law.

All bids will specify type, size and grade of material or merchandise. Bids may be made in whole or in part.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Given under my hand and official seal of office, this 2nd day of December, 1968.

MARIE E. QUINTINI, Clerk Board of Supervisors Hancock County, Mississippi.
12/5, 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/68

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This 16th day of December, 1968.

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Administratrix
12/19, 12/26, 1/3-1/9/69

CHANCERY SUMMONS

NO. 10,664

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI TO LUDIA SWARTZ LANEY c/o SAND BAR, GROVES, TEXAS.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the THIRD Monday of February, A. D. 1969, to defend the suit No. 10,664 in said Court of RAYMOND LEON LANEY, wherein you are a defendant.

This 13th day of December, A. D. 1968.

MARIE E. QUINTINI, Chancery Clerk (SEAL)
by: Lila Lader, D. C.
12/19, 12/26, 1/2, 1/9/69



Ho Ho Ho and a Merry Christmas

A jolly Santa wanders his way, bringing wonderful gifts for you, we'd like to add our appreciation. Happy holidays.

A. N. GRASS

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This 3rd day of December, 1968.

BEATRICE ELMORE CADDY
Administratrix
12/5, 12/12, 12/19, 12/26/68

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK NOTICE TO NEWSPAPERS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, will receive bids until 10:00 o'clock a.m., Monday, January 6, 1969, for publishing the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors, as provided by law. The successful bidder will furnish bond to be approved by this Board in the amount legally required, and the Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 2nd day of December, 1968.

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LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS. NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids shall be received by the Commission Council of the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, to be delivered to the Clerk of said Council until ten (10:00) o'clock a.m., on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1969, at the City Hall in said city and then there to be publicly opened and read aloud for furnishing the following for use of the City Fire Department:

One 11' 6" x 9' 6" 24 gauge steel overhead door with low headroom track, installed complete including taking down of old door and setting in place for new door (for approximately \$1,000.00).

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City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi (SEAL) J. Cyril Glover, City Clerk
12/18-12/19/68

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI HANCOCK COUNTY CO-EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NO. 10,687

of ESTATE OF HALMA M. HATCH, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary having been granted on the 3rd day of December, 1968, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Halma M. Hatch, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

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Norton Hass Sr. Attends Rivers-Harbors Meeting

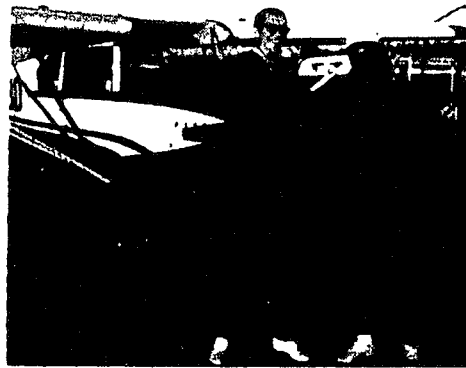
Norton Hass Sr., member at large of the Board of Directors of the Rivers and Harbors Association of Mississippi attended an organizational meeting of the Board held Wednesday Nov. 27th at noon in the Polynesian Room of the Sun and Sand Motel, Jackson, Miss.

The meeting was well attended from throughout the state, with a 100% attendance of the Officers for 1968 and 1969 as follows: Charles Deaton, Chairman of the Board, Sweet T. Davis, President, John Martiniere, Vice-President; Fred Neil, Treasurer and Miss Edith Sims, Executive Secretary. This was a luncheon meeting and after the call to order, under old business minutes for previous meetings held Sept. 4 and October 24th were approved. Under New Business a Financial Report of the Association was presented by the Treasurer Fred Neil, of Jackson, also the Budget was explained for the current year and was approved as recommended by the Budget Committee. The Policy as recommended by the President for withdrawal of Association funds was approved. Charles Deaton, Greenwood, Chairman of the Board explained the guidelines for Executive Vice-President and the future requirements of the Association in this connection. Much time and discussion was given to the need for improved press relations and keeping the public informed of the work and plans of the Association in all sections of the state.

A Committee was appointed, headed by Mayor Al. Key of Meridian to investigate the use and need of public information and make recommendation to the next regular Board Meeting. President Davis closed the meeting with a brief summary of plans for the coming year and the meeting was adjourned until the next meeting to be called by the President.

MISSISSIPPI

OLDEST BOOK--The oldest book in America, called a codex, is in the Library of the University of Mississippi. It contains the oldest known copy of the First Peter from the New Testament and the Book of Jonah from the Old Testament --Released by the Mississippi Economic Council



Joe Barmond with his flight instructor, Wylie Heath of Heath's Flying Service, Inc. after his first solo flight. Joe is now a student Pilot.

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HEATH'S FLYING SERVICE will be at the new Hancock County Airport serving the aviation needs of the people of Hancock County.

Wylie Heath congratulating Tommy Moran after his first solo flight. Tommy is one of the many students of Heath's Flying Service, Inc.



MR. TOMMY BROOKS, coordinator for trade and industrial program at Bay High School stands at rear. Students employed on a classroom-work basis are Mike Perniciaro, Nuncy's Garage; Jo-Ann Greer, Waveland Leather Co.; Anthony Ladner, Tony's Welding Shop; Cynthia Krankey, Hancock General Hospital; Larry Santinelli, Sammy's Garage; Patty Green, A-1 TV; Marvin Krankey, Ben Hill Motors; Richard Sorrentino, Hancock General Hospital and Chris Ybos, Buffin's.

Work, School Programs Boon to Local Students

What percent of high school students go to college? What happens to those who don't?

To answer the first question, at Bay High School we find that 35% of the students who finish high school don't go to college. This means that if the main purpose of high school was to prepare students for college, high schools would be working at only 2/3 efficiency.

In answering the second question, we find that some students go to technical or trade schools, some go into the armed forces, others marry, but the majority of these students enter the world of work.

Of these students that go to work it is a proven fact that those new employees who have had previous training advance quicker and gain higher wages than those who haven't. If the new employee was in the part time cooperative vocational education program at Bay High,

he would have had this previous training, and he would be in an excellent position to become a success in his chosen field.

This vocational education program is an effort on the part of Bay High School to increase the effectiveness of the high school program. By having a program that is directed at those students who are vocationally interested, the high school is able to meet the needs of the community better and to fulfill its obligations to the students.

The two divisions of the Vocational Programs are, Distributive Education (D.E.) and Trade and Industrial Education (T&I), these are used to prepare students who are leaving high school to enter into the world of work with the proper attitude and training to become successful, productive citizens. To enter this program the student must be a junior or senior, at least 16 years old and must have a vocational objective. The student must want, need and be able to profit from his vocational training before being accepted into the program.

Community businesses are necessary to the program because it would be impossible for the school to supply a training station not only performs an invaluable service to the student and to the school but to himself. He has an employee who is getting related technical knowledge in the classroom vehicle training for every occupation that the students might enter. The cooperation of the local businessmen is the major factor that decides the success or failure of the program.

The businessman that supplies a training station not only performs an invaluable service to the student and to the school but to himself. He has an employee that is getting related technical knowledge in the classroom which is in effect a very inexpensive training program. If the employer wishes to hire the student full-time when he graduates, he has a well-trained employee that "knows" the business and is able to perform at top productivity at the time of full employment.

The program, in detail, is a cooperative arrangement involving the school, the student, and the employer whereby the

school allows the student to get high school credit while gaining work experience. The student takes two or three regular school subjects such as English in government along with his vocational education class in the morning and works at a training station in the afternoon. In the morning class for vocational education, the student has directly related study three days a week, which is a study of technical information necessary for the student to perform properly on the job. The other two days students study indirectly related material, which is directed at helping the student get along better on the job. This class consists of lecture and discussion on subject such as Human Relations and Employer-Employee relations.

The student that is involved in the Vocational Educational Program graduates like any other student with the same prestige granted to all high school graduates. This student may go to college, although in most cases students who enter this program don't wish to go because when they leave high school, they are prepared to enter their chosen profession and have every reason to expect success.

The businesses that are currently engaged in the program in Bay St. Louis are: Nuncy Perniciaro Garage, Waveland Leather Company, Tony's Welding Shop, Hancock General Hospital, Sammy's Garage, A-1 Radio and TV & Appliance Service, Dave McDonald, Inc., T.G. & Y., Waveland Lumber Company, Winn Dixie, Ramonds Furniture and Appliance Service, Southern Frosted Foods Inc., John McDonald, State Farm Insurance, Jeromes Department Store, Sears and Ramseys Department Store.

These people have earned the respect and appreciation of people within our community and we are grateful to them.

If you are interested in the program or desire more information about it, contact Mr. Tommy Brooks at Bay Senior High School; or contact one of the businesses previously listed. Mr. Brooks phone number is 467-6023.

Cantata to be Sung At First Baptist

A Community Christmas Cantata will be sung at the First Baptist Church in Bay St. Louis on Sunday, December 22, at 7:00 p.m.

Participating will be some 40 members of the choir of various denominations in Bay St. Louis. Mrs. Peggy Tedford conducting. The group will sing "Born A King" by Peterson.

The public is cordially invited.

Here's hoping you have the Happiest Holiday Season ever!

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The best of the season to our customers—we've enjoyed serving you and hope to do so again! Thank you for your patronage!

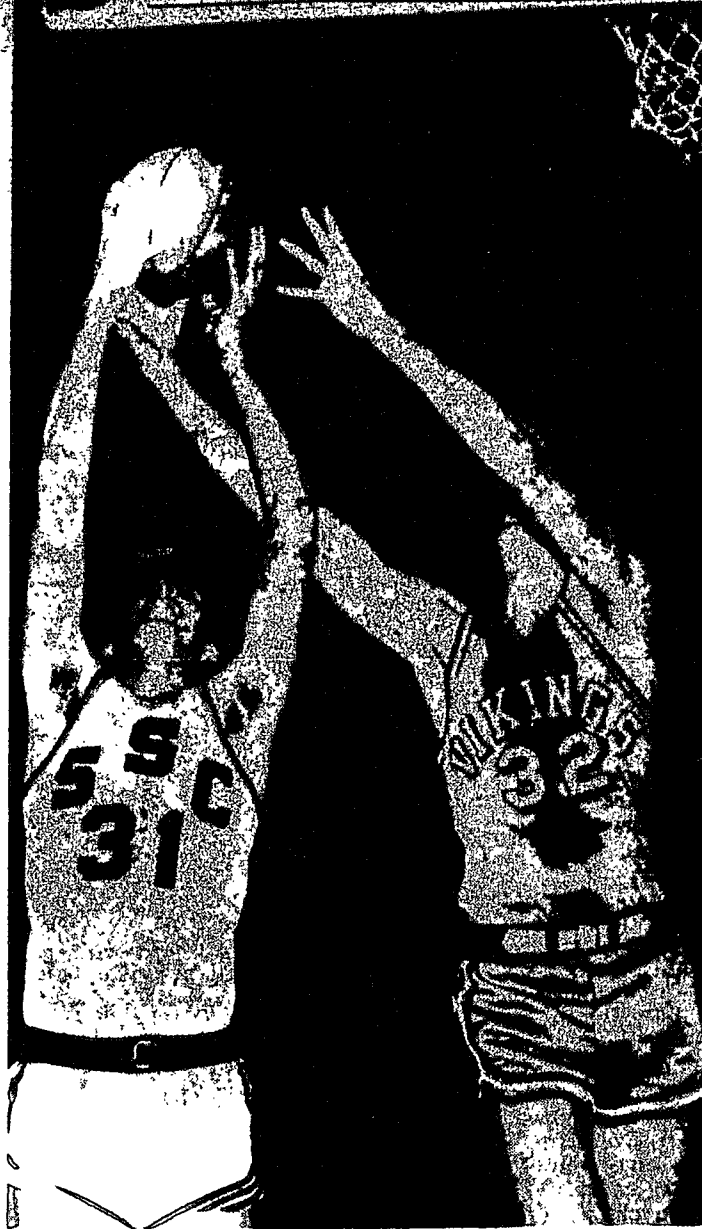
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Merry Christmas



It's time once more to turn aside from the routine of day-to-day business and greet our fine patrons and neighbors with hearty wishes for a merry, old-fashioned Yule. May your holiday be filled with the happy sounds of laughter as you rejoice in the company of family and friends. Secure thanks for your loyal trust and support.

Sears CATALOG SALES OFFICE
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Bay St. Louis Shopping Center 467-9061



ST. STANISLAV in action against Mobile Montgomery last week. Al Lovings takes a rebound from a Viking player.

Hasty Shopping Costly To American Housewife

Hasty shopping causes the average American consumer to waste \$920 a year, or 12 percent of the typical family income, according to Mrs. Julia H. Barnes, home management specialist of the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service.

The largest money waste is in food buying, she says. Potential savings here are estimated at \$416 per year for a family of four.

"The waste of family money over a 20-year period is estimated to be enough to pay all college expenses for a family's two children," she declares.

Savings are possible in such things as finance charges, medicines and toiletries, car operation, insurance, home furnishings and clothing. Here are some specific ways to save on day-to-day expenses:

Round steak, a popular weekend supermarket special, is a good choice when well trimmed. Meat tenderizers, pounding or pressure cooking can result in the best of two worlds, economy and flavor.

Expensive canned fruits like Elberta peaches and Bartlett pears can be bought in cans of

chunks and pieces for a fourth less than canned halves. Likewise, mushroom stems and pieces are much less than buttons.

A store's own brand of fruits and vegetables is usually several cents a can less than a "name" brand of the same product, with no difference in quality.

"Do not shop for food when hungry. Studies show that such a consumer might wind up spending a lot more than necessary," Mrs. Barnes points out.

Buy towel and bedsheet irregulars, since flaws will not affect either use or wear.

There is usually a deposit for a new hookup of electrical power, gas, lights or water. After paying bills for a year, request the deposit back from the utility company, which may otherwise hold it indefinitely.

Coin-operated dry cleaning machines take much of the load off the dry cleaning budget and are especially useful for blankets, draperies and curtains. Send other items to a regular dry cleaner every fourth time for special care.

Bank repossession such as cars, boats and camping equipment are often good buys and nearly new. Another advantage is that banks do not change



JOE BERMOND, MANAGER, IS SHOWN WITH SALLY, HIS NEW CHEVROLET TRUCK.

I needed a new truck and Sally Koenn for many years. Lane Chevrolet as I was looking for the best possible deal.

(A GERRY LANE ENTERPRISE)

REUNITED FOR the first time at Christmas in 20 years are Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Vogel of Germany and their oldest son Rev. Gerard Vogel of St. Augustine Seminary. They are pictured at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Favre with whom Mr. and Mrs. Vogel are visiting while in Bay St. Louis.

Parents, Son Reunited Here

BY INEZ FAVRE

Christmas 1968 will have more than a special meaning and joy for the Oswald Vogels who will be reunited with their oldest son and will spend their first Christmas away from the homeland. Mr. and Mrs. Vogel will be with their son, Rev. Father Gerard Vogel, S.V.D., of St. Augustine Seminary for the first time in 20 years on this special day. Their last holiday together was spent in Germany before Father left home to begin the studies which later brought him to America and his ordination to the priesthood in Bay St. Louis in 1965.

The Vogels arrived in Bay St. Louis, their first visit to America, on November 20, from Riegelsberg, Saarbruecken, and will return to Germany in February. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Favre and Mrs. Favre's mother, Mrs. Sophie Burg, who is also from Germany.

America and Bay St. Louis were just far-away places for this retired coal miner and his wife until Mrs. Burg returned to Germany in August 1967, and visited the Vogels, whom she had never met, and who lived approximately 500 kilometers from her home, to tell them

about their son whose friendship had meant so much to her in a strange country. While there, they were extended an invitation to visit Mrs. Burg who was planning to return within a short time to make her home in Bay St. Louis.

Letters crossed the sea and plans were made, a few words of English were learned and an almost impossible dream had come true—America was just below the clouds.

Mr. and Mrs. Vogel have another son, Henry, who is a medical student in Heidelberg, and a daughter, Mrs. Therese Schilling, a housewife, who lives in Riegelsberg, Saarbruecken, near her parents.

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Towish the Joy of Christmas

In the time of the holiday season we send our greetings to our customers. May you enjoy the festive celebration. Thank you for your loyal friendship. Your warm friendship makes us feel very proud.



Hancock General Hospital reported three births during the past week:

A son Frank Royce McNeese Jr., born December 10 to Mr. and Mrs. McNeese Sr. He weighed seven pounds, eight ounces. Mrs. McNeese is the former Joan Louise Harris.

A son, Jason Michael December 10 to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard James Hoanoy. He weighed six pounds, 12 ounces. Mrs. Hoanoy is the former Nancy Elizabeth Ruth.

A son, Anthony Ray, December 12, to Mr. and Mrs. James Fred Prosser. He weighed seven pounds, three ounces. Mrs. Prosser is the former Agnes Ruth Peck.



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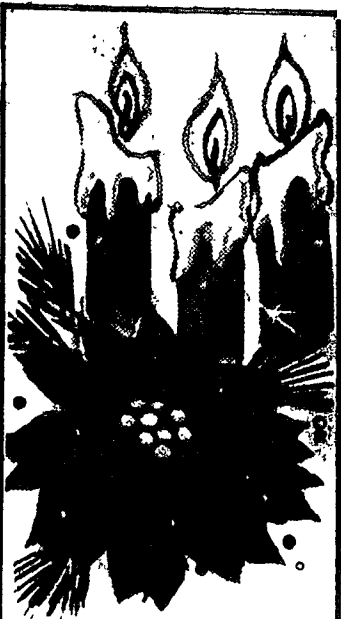
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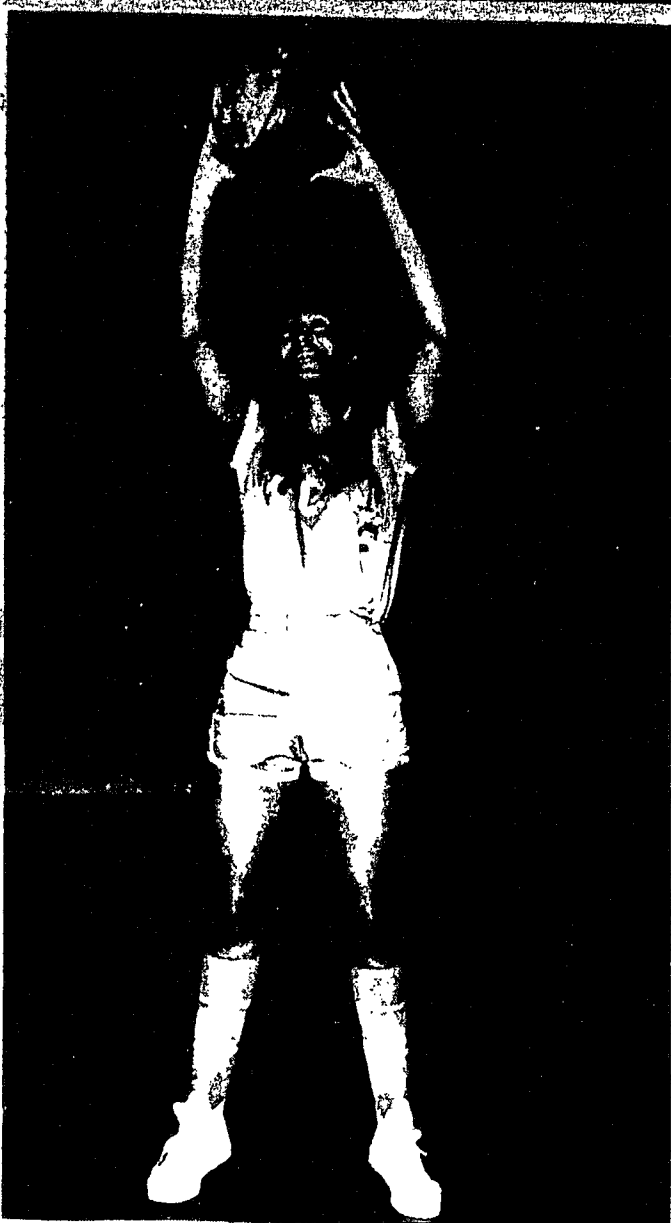
Boys, Scouts, Cadet and Senior Scout uniforms, in all sizes, are needed by the Neighborhood Girl Scouts. Anyone who has uniforms to either sell or give is asked to call Mrs. Charles J. Lohr at 7-8028 or Mrs. John Wilkerson, 7-6098.



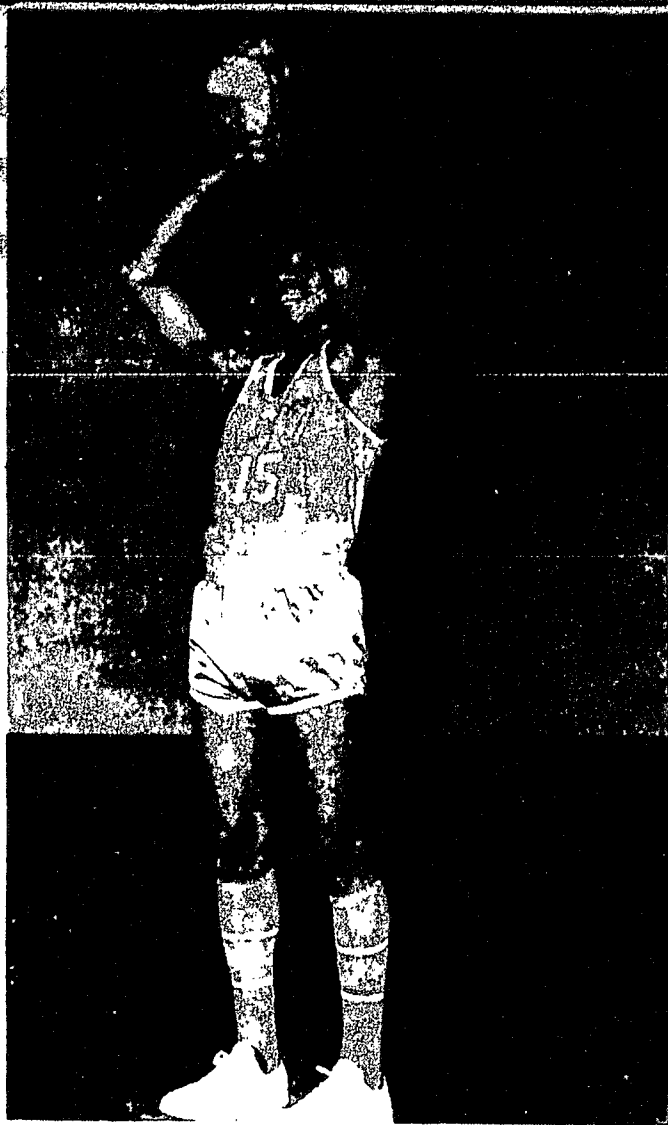
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Hoping Christmas brightness lasts all year!
Your loyalty is great!

"Big John" Rutherford



SCHEVANDA BELL of the Valena C. Jones girls team is a freshman guard. At 5' 10" she has blocked 12 shots during the first four games of this season. Her re-bound average is 12 per game.



LARRY PETERS senior captain of the Valena C. Jones team practicing free throws. A member of the all-conference team Peters has scored a total of 112 points in the first four games this season. Peters has a total of four offers from colleges wanting him for both football and basketball.

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VCJ Tigers, Tigerettes Winning Big

Valena C. Jones Tigerettes knocked Biloxi from the undefeated ranks 33-10 at VCJ gym Monday night. This was the seventh straight win of the season for VCJ.

Leading scorers were: Queen Starks, 10 points, Kim Bell, 8 points, Lorraine Hargette, 7 points, Lonna Sams, 6 points.

Outstanding on defense were: Schevanda Bell, who limited a 6'2" all-conference star of Biloxi to 8 points.

Jackie Lemay had 10 rebounds. In the conference games VCJ defeated Beaumont 47-21. Leading scorers were: Lonna Hargette, 16 points, Kim Bell, 11 points, Scheila Talbert, 7

points, Queen Starks, 6 points. In return conference games Friday night VCJ defeated Beaumont 49-21. Leading scorers were: Kim Bell, 14 points, Lorraine Hargette, 10 points, Queen Starks, 8 points, Scheila Talbert, 8 points.

The VCJ Tigers defeated Biloxi Monday night at VCJ 68-58. Leading scorers were: Freddie Terrell, 12 points, Sterling Bell, 12 points, Fabian Collins, 11 points, Larry Peters, 10 points.

In a conference game Dec. 11th against Beaumont the Tigers won 63-59. Leading scorers were: Larry Peters, 29 points, Sterling Bell, 11 points, Freddie Terrell, 11 points.

In a return conference game at VCJ Dec. 13th, the Tigers beat Beaumont 80-71. Leading scorers: Larry Peters, 22 points, Fabian Collins, 18 points, Sterling Bell, 18 points, Freddie Lymuel, 15 points.



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Agents Destroy Still Near Clermont

Equipment was chopped and a whiskey still site dynamited about 2 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 12, in a marsh located about a mile southeast of Clermont Harbor. The raid was reported by special investigators of the Gulfport office of the Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Division of the A.T.U. and agents of the State Alcoholic Beverage Control Division.

Reported as arrested in connection with the raid were Lavender Lachner, 47, of Pass Christian, and Wesley Young, 55, of Gulfport. Both waived preliminary hearing when they appeared before U.S. Commissioner Mrs. Verta Lee Swetman of Biloxi Friday, and were released on an unsecured \$750 bond.

Set up and in operation, according to investigators, the still sent flames and smoke some 300 feet high when dynamited. Destroyed were a 220-gallon drum pot type still which was located in a shed in the marsh, 52 drum fermenters of 55-gallon capacities containing a total of 2,600 gallons of sugar-mixed rye mash, and two 30-gallon mixing drums containing 17 gallons of clear distilled spirits. Equipment also included three butane tanks and burners, said reporting agents.



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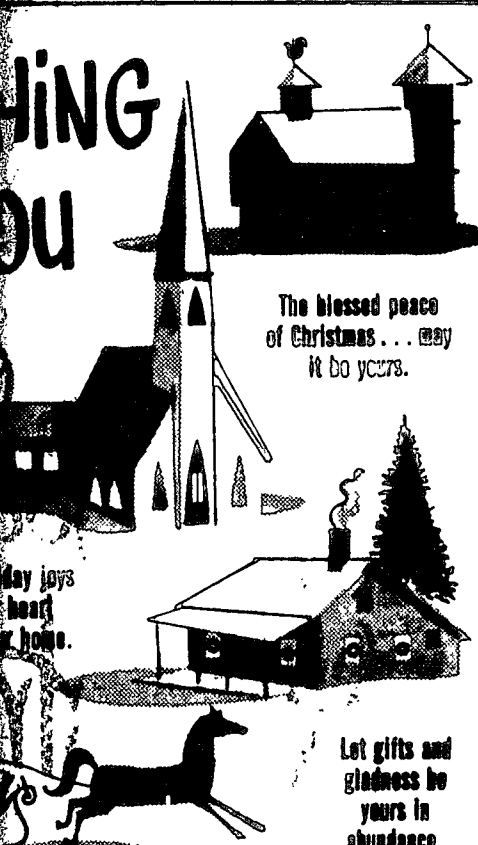
t Christmas...

We pray that the miracle of His birth in a humble manger will once more spread its wonders, its promise across the land, bringing peace on earth, good will to men. In the joyous spirit of the holiday we offer our thanks to our customers for your many kindnesses. We greatly value and enjoy the privilege of serving you. Merry Christmas.

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College seniors preparing to teach and teachers applying for positions in school systems which encourage or require applicants to submit their scores on the NTE are eligible to take the tests. They are prepared and administered by Educational Testing Service of Princeton, N.J.

The designation of the University of Southern Mississippi as a test center for these examinations will give prospective teachers in this area an opportunity to compare their performance on the examinations with candidates throughout the country who take the tests, Dr. Welker said.

At the one-day session, a candidate may take the Common Examinations, which include tests in Professional Education and General Education, and one of the fifteen Teaching

The University of Southern Mississippi has been designated as a test center for administering the National Teacher Examinations on February 1, Dr. L. C. Welker, Jr., Asst. Dean of the College of Education & Psychology announces.

Presbyterians to Welcome New Members

At the service on Sunday morning Dec. 22, at 11 o'clock, new members will be received and welcomed. All those who wish to unite with the church who have not done so should get in touch with the minister. The Christmas sermon will be on the subject: "Does God Want Us To Be Happy?"

Area Examinations which are designed to evaluate his understanding of the subject matter and methods applicable to the area he may be assigned to teach.

Bulletins of information describing registration procedures and containing registration forms may be obtained from Dr. Welker, Box 23, Southern Station, Hattiesburg or directly from the NTE Educational Testing Service, Box 911, Princeton, N.J., 08540. Prospective teachers planning to take the tests should obtain their Bulletins of Information promptly, Dr. Welker advised.

CHRISTMAS PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the holiday season approaches in which the entire Christian world pays tribute to Christ our Savior, and

WHEREAS, it is indeed fitting on this occasion that we set aside our usual duties and rejoice in the spirit that is exemplified by Jesus Christ,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY PROCLAIMED that the City of Bay St. Louis shall set aside the period beginning December 24th, 1968, and extending to and including December 26th, 1968, so that all may appropriately commemorate the birth of Jesus Christ, Our Savior.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the City Hall and all public buildings be and they are hereby declared to close their doors for the aforementioned period. Ordered this the 16th day of December, A. D. 1968.

THE CITY OF BAY SAINT LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI.

(SEAL) JOHN A. SCAFFID, MAYOR

ATTEST: J. CYRIL GLOVER, COMMISSIONER

WARREN E. TRAUB, COMMISSIONER

F.M. Kyle, Jr. Is Promoted

It was announced today by F.M. Kyle, Jr., District Manager for South Central Bell Telephone Company that effective December 16, 1968 D.H. Presley has been appointed South Central's Manager for the exchange of Vancleave, Ocean Springs and Biloxi. He relieves Kelly Allgood who previously held this position before his appointment to the position of Manager in Jackson, Mississippi.

Presley will also continue to hold the position of manager at Piquette, Pearlinton, Bay St. Louis, Pass Christian, Standard and Gulfport.

Presley, a graduate of S.J. Poters High School in New Orleans, attended the University of Mississippi. He started work with the Telephone Company September 21, 1947, and after holding various positions was made Manager of Gulfport October 16, 1965, the position he has held until his recent appointment.

He was reared in Long Beach where he now resides with his wife, the former Dorothy G. Ford (a native of Long Beach) and their five children.

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North Central Students Outstanding Teenagers

Albert Bennett, a senior, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett, has been on the basketball team for four years, a member of the Beta Club for three years and of the Chess Club for two years. He was a delegate to Boys State and is currently serving as Vice-President of the Junior Class.

Tim, president of the junior class, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rommy Ray Shaw, is Co-Editor and Art Editor of the school newspaper, president of the Chess Club, member of the Student Council, and statistician and reporter for the Basketball Team. He has served as presi-

dent of his sophomore and freshman classes, vice-president of the Future Farmers of America, and president of the Chess Club since its founding three years ago. He has served as an escort at Homecoming for the past three years, and was selected as having the "Best School Spirit" in the school's Who's Who contest. He has also had one of his drawings published in the National Beta Club Journal.



PFC. CARL A. SANTINELLI, JR., a former Bay High student, the grandson of Mrs. August Santinelli, Sr. of Bay St. Louis, has been awarded the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service with his unit in Vietnam. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Santinelli, Sr. of Connecticut.

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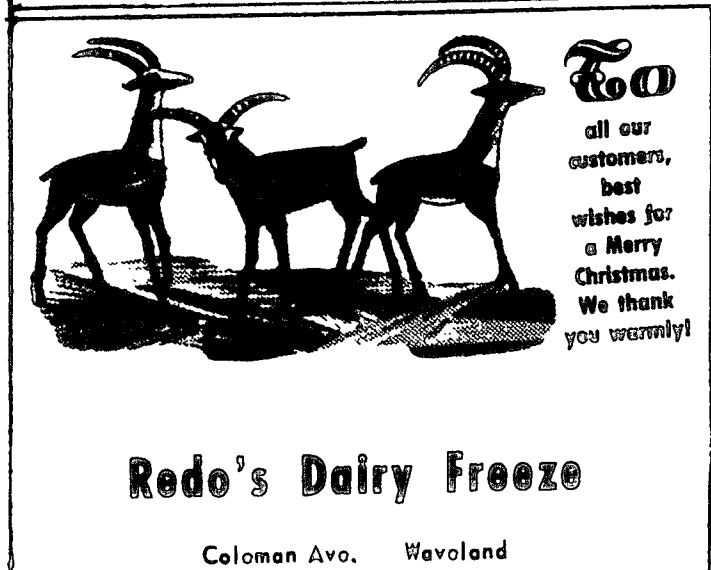
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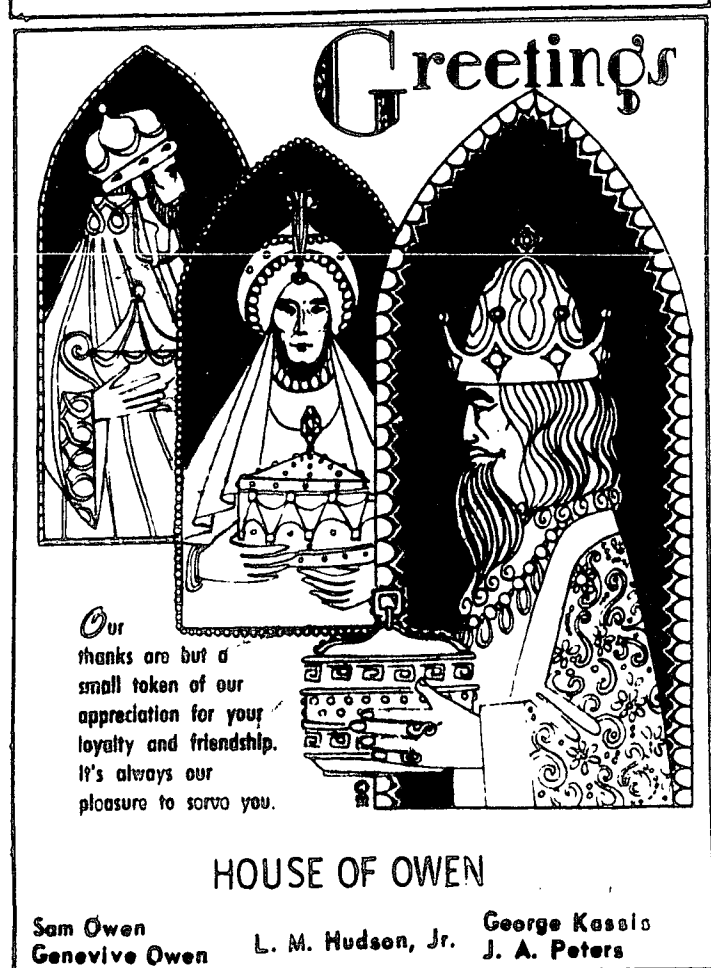
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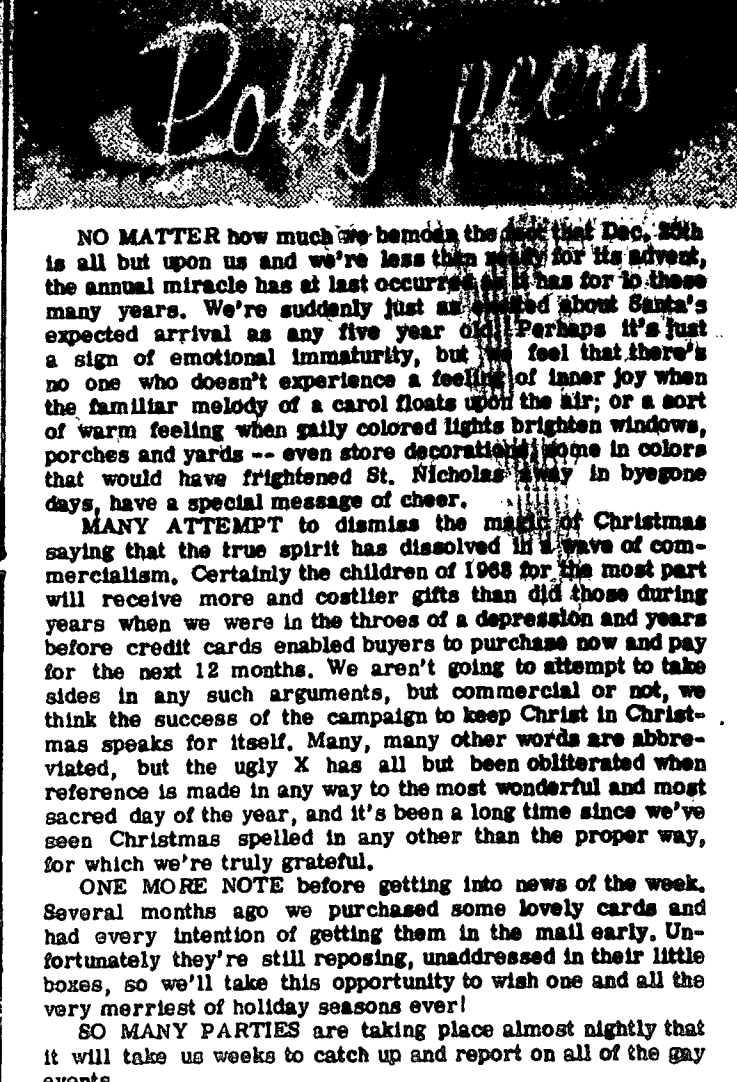
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ON EARTH PEACE

During this Holy Season commemorating the Birth of the Child in Bethlehem, may you find the source of joy and hope for peace eternal.

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Pollyanna

NO MATTER how much we bemoan the fact that Dec. 24th is all but upon us and we're less than ready for its advent, the annual miracle has at last occurred. It has for to these many years. We're suddenly just as excited about Santa's expected arrival as any five year old. Perhaps it's just a sign of emotional immaturity, but we feel that there's no one who doesn't experience a feeling of inner joy when the familiar melody of a carol floats upon the air; or a sort of warm feeling when gaily colored lights brighten windows, porches and yards -- even store decorations. None in colors that would have frightened St. Nicholas away in bygone days, have a special message of cheer.

MANY ATTEMPT to dismiss the magic of Christmas saying that the true spirit has dissolved in a wave of commercialism. Certainly the children of 1968 for the most part will receive more and costlier gifts than did those during years when we were in the throes of a depression and years before credit cards enabled buyers to purchase now and pay for the next 12 months. We aren't going to attempt to take sides in any such arguments, but commercial or not, we think the success of the campaign to keep Christ in Christmas speaks for itself. Many, many other words are abbreviated, but the ugly X has all but been obliterated when reference is made in any way to the most wonderful and most sacred day of the year, and it's been a long time since we've seen Christmas spelled in any other than the proper way, for which we're truly grateful.

ONE MORE NOTE before getting into news of the week. Several months ago we purchased some lovely cards and had every intention of getting them in the mail early. Unfortunately they're still reposing, unaddressed in their little boxes, so we'll take this opportunity to wish one and all the very merriest of holiday seasons ever!

SO MANY PARTIES are taking place almost nightly that it will take us weeks to catch up and report on all of the gay events.

TENNESSEE GAS COMPANY employees held their annual party Friday night at St. Clare's Parish Hall and as always a wonderful time was had by all.

THE FRIENDLY SQUARES, our enthusiastic group of local square dancers, took over the National Guard Armory for their big holiday dance on Saturday night.

SLIDELL COUNTRY CLUB was the setting for installation of new officers of the very active MTF Toastmasters group. This affair also took place on Friday night.

WE ALWAYS feel a little sorry for those whose birthdays fall during the month of December as they usually end up combining their celebrations with the big holidays.

GEORGETTE (Mrs. Harvey, Jr.) Ming really misses out, as she was born on Christmas Day.

LOUISE LYNCH and Lester Haverly also come up a bit short. Louise cut her cake on Dec. 5, and Lester on the 7th.

VERDLEE and VERNON LADNER are all but waking on air as daughter Sandra, husband Roger Sharp and tiny daughter arrived here from Spokane, Wash. last week. Sandra and the baby will remain with her parents while Roger completes an Air Force tour of duty on Guam.

VERY HAPPY anniversary greeting goes to Mr. and Mrs. John Rega who observed their 39th wedding anniversary on Tuesday, Dec. 17. The Regas recently returned from an extensive vacation trip during which they went as far west as Denver, Col. and wound up visiting relatives in Louisiana.

MABEL GREEN left Saturday for a pro-Christmas Texas vacation.

BEN SMITH buzzed into town from Ft. Payne, Ala. late Thursday and returned home Friday.

SID GOULD (he's Nancy (Mrs. Lucien, Jr.) Gen's father) breezed in for an even shorter visit on Monday.

(RICHARD (THE JUDGE) HOMES sends greetings from jolly old England. Our Richie is aboard the U.S.S. American Clipper.

SPEAKING OF SHIPS, Caroline Kiefer will fly to Miami, Fla. where she'll board the Starward for its next-to-maiden voyage to Jamaica. The cruise is her Christmas gift from son Jerry--can anyone imagine a more ideal present than an island visit in the dead of winter?

OF COURSE, she'll first go to Vidalia, La., to spend a few days with daughter Laurie, husband Gary Byrd and family.

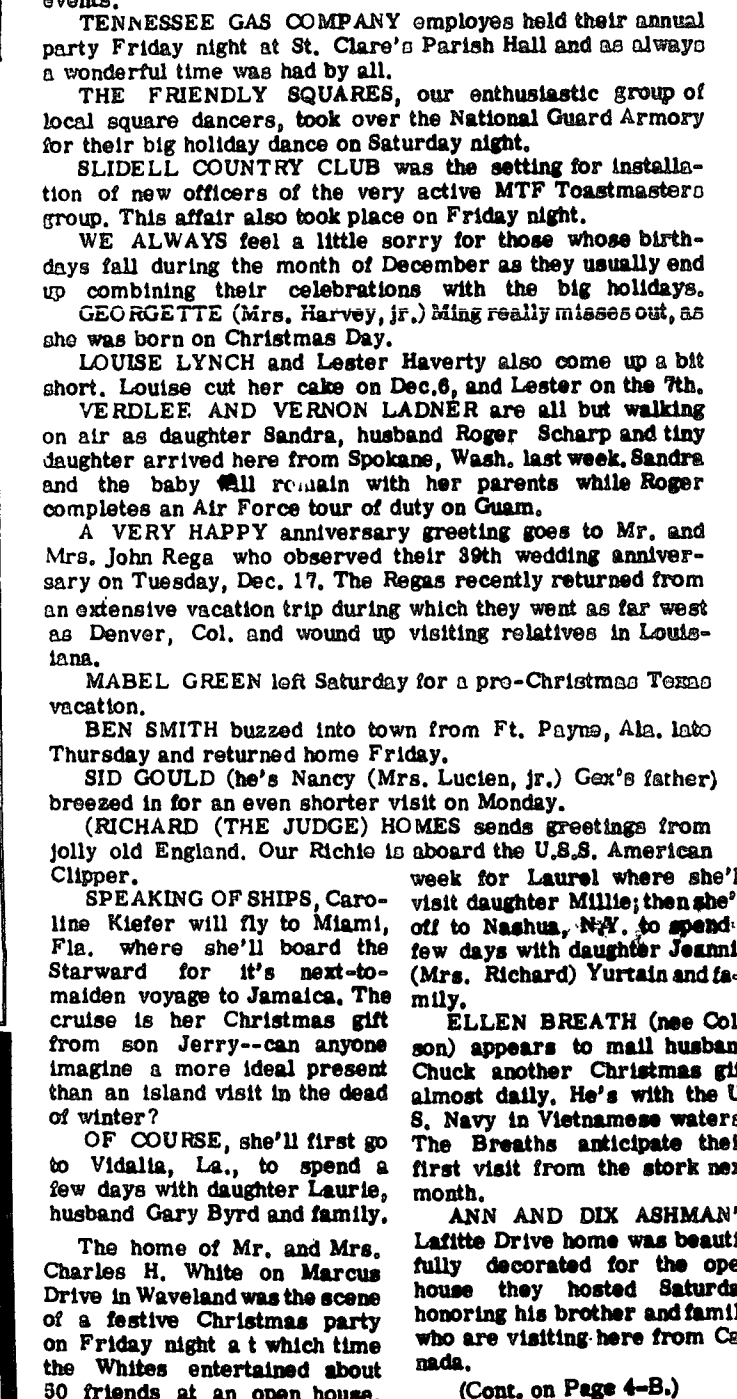
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. White on Marcus Drive in Waveland was the scene of a festive Christmas party on Friday night at which time the Whites entertained about 50 friends at an open house. Among out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Winship, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Silger, all of New Orleans. For this occasion the Whites' home was beautifully decorated, both inside and out, with the true spirit of Christmas.

LAMBERT BORDAGES was transferred to Gulfport Memorial on Friday after spending several days in Hancock General.

MRS. MARY MORAN is due a get well wish -- she too was hospitalized last week.

JOAN AND RED GLASS who have traveled hither and yon since their retirement last August, spent the weekend in Lynchburg, Va.

EZELDA LING leaves next



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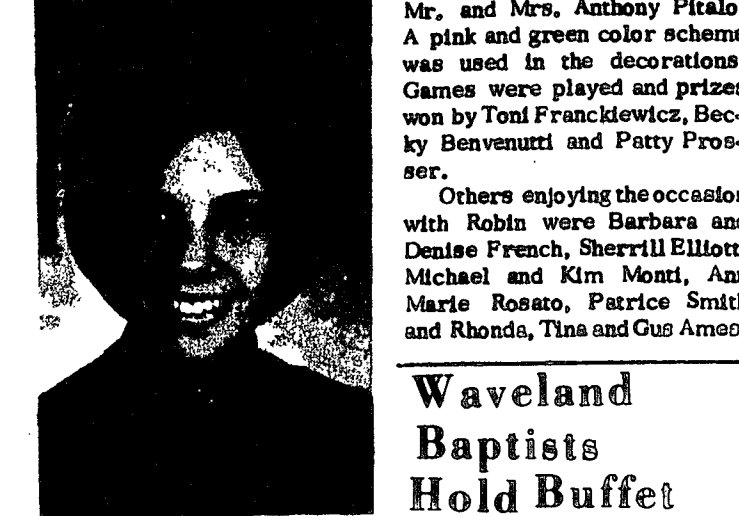
Mrs. Clarence Bailey will install as worthy mistress of the Order of the Eastern Star in ceremonies at the Masonic Building at 8 p.m. January 4. Fred Horn is to be her worthy patron.

Mr. Sidney Sanders will be associate patron of Mrs. Wallace Chase, associate mistress. Others to be installed are John D. Green, secretary; Mrs. John D. Green, treasurer; Mrs. Fred Horn, conductress; Mrs. Donald Simmons, associate conductress; Mrs. Clifton Roberts, chaplain and Mrs. Alva Mae Mayhew, Marshal.

Party Fetes Miss Pitalo

Robin Pitalo celebrated her ninth birthday Saturday with a party at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pitalo. A pink and green color scheme was used in the decorations. Games were played and prizes won by Toni Frankiewicz, Becky Benvenuti and Patty Prosser.

Others enjoying the occasion with Robin were Barbara and Denise French, Sherrill Elliott, Michael and Kim Monti, Ann Marie Rosato, Patrice Smith and Rhonda, Tina and Gus Ames.



MISS ANZALONE

Miss Anzalone, Leon Duncan Tell Plans

Mr. and Mrs. Sam F. Anzalones of Independence, La., are today announcing the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sondra Ann, to Mr. Leon D. Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin S. Duncan, 888 N. Beach, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

The wedding will take place January 26, at Mater Dolores Catholic Church, in Independence at 10:00 a.m. The reception will follow at Cuccia Center.

All relatives and friends are invited to attend.

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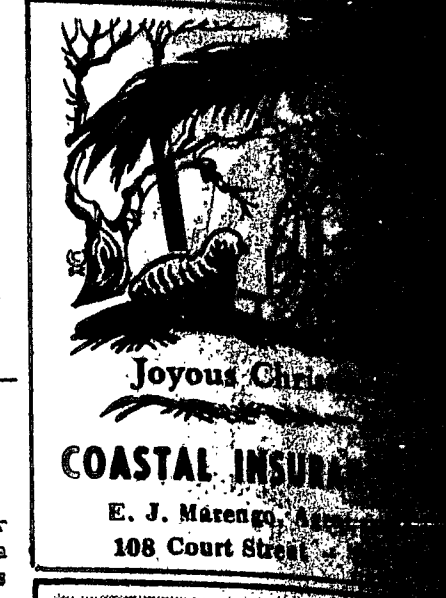
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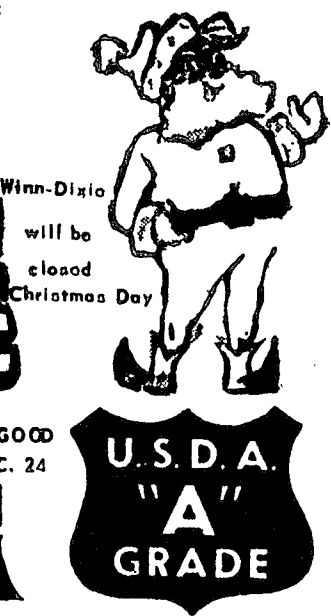
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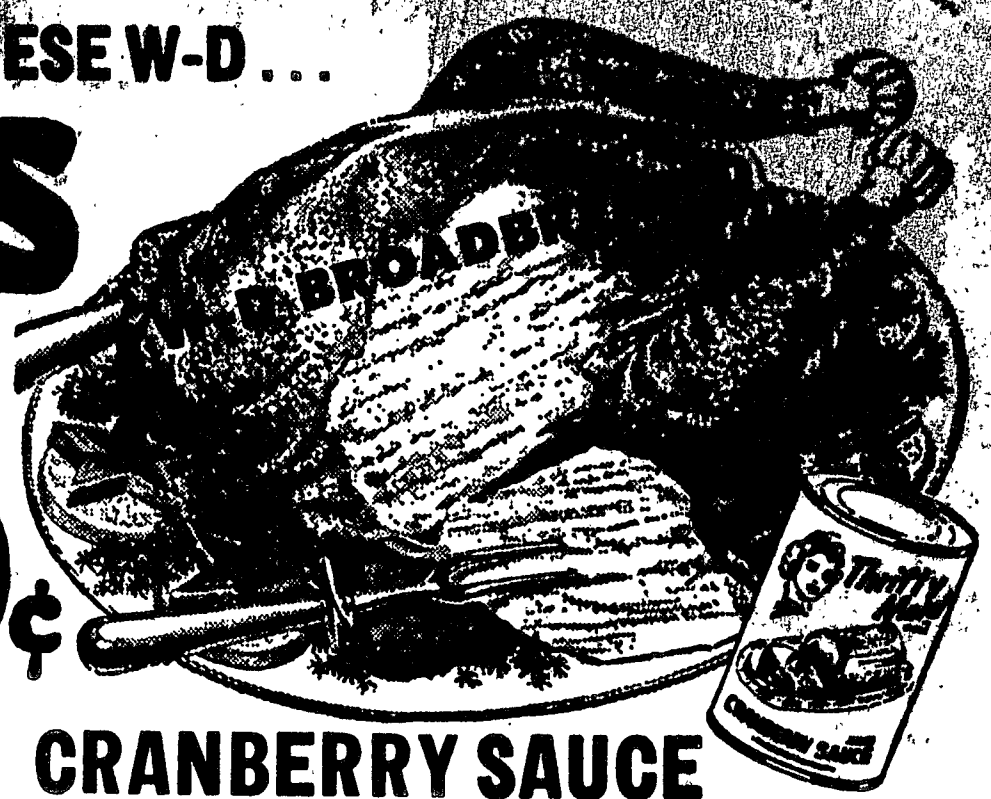
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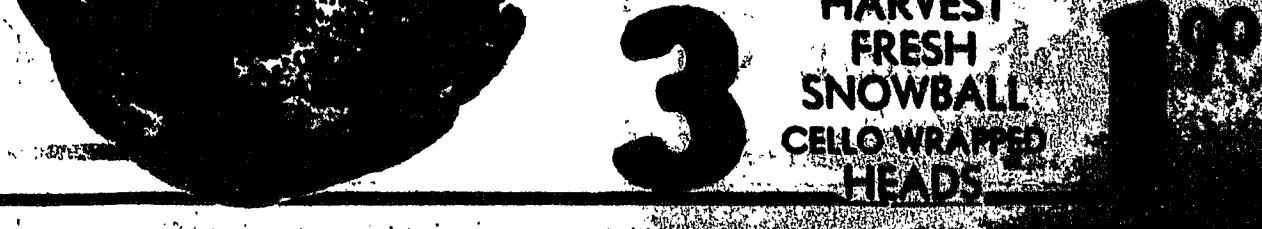
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BETTY (MRS. CLAYTON) THOMPSON, Carol (Mrs. Jim) Pfeiffer and Mary (Mrs. Otis) Winnard are also among those who cut birthday cakes during the month of December.

LAURIE AND DAVE POINDEKSTER and the boys are anxiously awaiting Mike's first leave since he enters the service. He'll be at home for 10 days.

DARLENE RING was a lovely bride when she and Ronald Peterson exchanged vows Saturday at St. Clare's Catholic Church. Over 200 guests enjoyed an abundance of food and beverage at the reception given at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Batey immediately following the ceremony.

FLUFFY KITTENS make lovely Christmas gifts and Jean (Mrs. Andre) Arceneaux has three little ones who have just reached the ideal age for adoption. They may be found at her Hillcrest Ave. home.

KATE AND BILL STEELE observed nine years of wedded bliss on Monday, Dec. 16.

AND GEORGE GEORGI is due a birthday greeting—he was 39 once again on Tuesday, Dec. 17.

CAPT. JOE DELPH, Mrs. Delph and their young son and daughter are guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. O.W. Delph. He is stationed at Homestead Air Force Base, Fla.

Charleston Ladner is a very efficient do-it-yourself builder. He's all but completed his new brick home in Bayside Park. 'Miss Kate' Marquez has returned to her Washington St. home after spending several days as a patient in Hancock General Hospital.

MELVIN JARNES was winner of the pig, first prize in a benefit sponsored by Mary Govan at Meyers Cash Grocery last week. Mary wants to express her gratitude to all who contributed.

JUST A FEW who've been seen at the Fairgrounds since the racing season opened Thanksgiving day include C.C. McDonald, Sr., Lucien Gex, Sr., Wilfred Bordages, Willie Bordages, Nolan Vinet, Harry Favre, Chester Favre and Mrs. Favre.

ANIMAL NOTES: That number one feline fan Bea Georgi has a lovely black cat she just might be persuaded to give to someone who will promise to give the animal a good home and lots of affection.

FISHING NOTES - Fred Garner, Pete Noto, Jack Kramer, Camille Schaefer, Leroy Carroll, Al Grass, Elvy Yarbrough and Grace (Mrs. Lionel) Bordages have been coming home with large catches almost every time they wet a line. Fred caught a No. 3 wash tub full last Wednesday.

MR. FRED GERSTNER doesn't get over to the coast very often since selling his Clermont Harbor home, but he sent a lovely card asking to be remembered to all of his friends in Hancock County.

SIGHTS AND SOUNDS ALONG THE WAY - The package laden line of postal patrons awaiting turns to send parcels upon their merry ways; Poinsettia blossoms blazing into full scarlet glory exactly on schedule; automobile trunks half opened to allow the tips of bright green yule trees to protrude, and the sad little cheeps of the birds who chose to remain in the somewhat less than tropical climate.



BEST WISHES!

Here's a cheery greeting to our many good friends and customers at this Yuletide season.

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Miss Ring, Ronald Peterson Exchange Vows at St. Clare's

Miss Darlene Ring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard E. Ring became the bride of Ronald Asa Peterson, son of Mr. Asa Peterson and the late Mrs. Peterson, at St. Clare's Catholic Church in Waveland. Rev. William Kennedy heard the vows of the double ceremony at 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose as maid of honor Miss Linda M. of Waveland and New Orleans. Emile Schindler was Mr. Peterson's best man. Leonard A. Ring, Jr., brother of the bride, and Edmund Schindler served as ushers.

The reception, immediately following the ceremony, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Batey.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Jim Blackman, a sister of the groom from Hixson, Tenn. an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carver of New Orleans. Also Mrs. Helen Ring, grandmother of the bride; an uncle, Gary Ring; Raphael Eifert, Sr., Raphael Eifert, Jr., and son Greg and Paul Odenwald, all cousins of the bride. Her godmother Mrs. U. Repath, Mr. Repath and children; Mr. and Mrs. Joey Garcia and children; Mrs. Marie Devoy, a great-aunt; Mr. and Mrs. James Glasser, Jr., all of New Orleans, and a cousin.

Renshaw Home Scene of Tea

First Presbyterian Church Circles held their meeting and Christmas tea December 4, at the home of Mrs. Norman Renshaw.

Mrs. Muriel Fisher presented the brief business session. The Christmas theme was used in the decorations.

Presiding at the tea service were Mesdames John Clark, Bernard Nissen, William Reid, O.J. Howe, Renshaw and Charles Gallasero.

Mrs. Dwyn Moulger, Bay St. Louis and Mrs. E.A. Lindsey, Pass Christian, met with the group.

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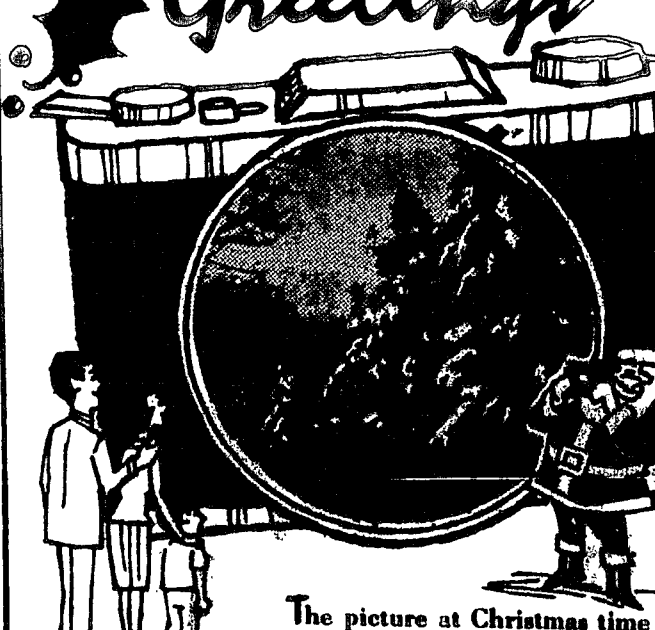
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Richardson Appointed Forestry Investigator

State Forester, Wendell D. Lack, has announced the appointment of H.T. Richardson, age 43, of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, as an investigator with the Mississippi Forestry Commission for the Southwest District. Mr. Richardson has 17 years experience with the Mississippi Highway Safety Patrol as a patrolman and investigator. Richardson is responsible for investigating violations of the Forest Fire Laws of the State of Mississippi, especially the willful setting of fire on forest land belonging to another. He will work out of the Forestry Commission's District Office in Wiggins, and he will work in the eleven counties in Southwest Mississippi.

A graduate of the F.B.I. National Academy, Washington, D.C., Richardson is a member of the Mississippi Law Enforcement Officers Association, a member of the Tennessee Officers Association, a member of the American Legion, a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and a member of the Mississippi Chapter, F.B.I. National Academy Association.

Richardson is married to the former Wyldene Clark of Madison, Mississippi.

Did You Know???

Among married couples, age makes work look better to women than to men. The Bureau of Labor Statistics reports that back in 1957, 32 out of 100 married women age 45 to 64 were either working or looking for work. That proportion had risen to 41 out of 100 in 1967. In the same age bracket—45 to 64—the proportion of married men participating in the labor force declined from 94 out of 100 in 1957 to 92 out of 100 in 1967.

Safety engineers of the Bureau of Labor Standards were called in when longshoremen working a Honolulu pier suffered severe electrical shocks. The problem was traced to the transmitter for a nearby radio station, which was charging the metal pier. Until the station could locate a new site for its transmitter, the FCC ordered it to reduce power when ships were worked.

The Bureau of Labor Standards reports that in the ten years since the development of the laser, nearly 500 applications have been found in medicine and industry for this valuable new tool. Stressing its potential danger, the Bureau states that a survey of laser operations conducted by the Public Health Service disclosed that nearly 38 percent were considered to be inadequately protected.

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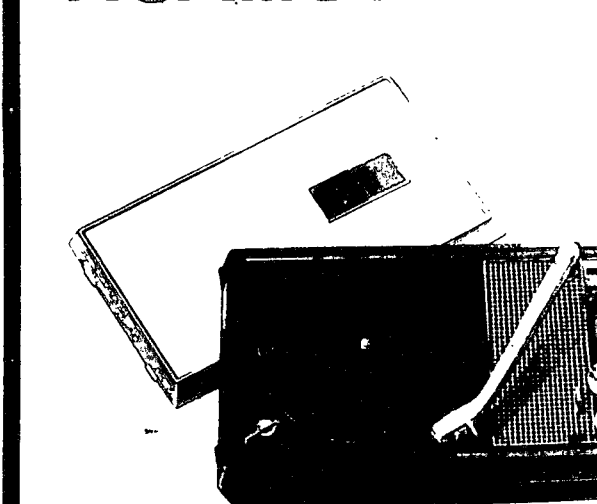
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GERRY SCAFDI of Gulf Marina stands by yacht Etro, first to be repaired and launched at the new facility near mouth of Jordan River. Sam Scafidi and Emile Piazza are other partners in the new enterprise.

Library Group Re-Activated

A revitalization meeting for the Friends of the City-County Library was held on Tuesday, December 5, at the home of Mrs. Ernest Samuels. The business meeting followed a tea at Mrs. Samuels' home on Grosvenor Place in Waveland.

Appointments were made for chairman of the group's standing committees. On the Publicity Committee, Mrs. John Newkirk and Mrs. George Curet will serve as co-chairmen. Mrs. Newkirk will handle necessary art work and displays, while Mrs. Curet's duties will center around news media. Mrs. Jewel Miller will serve as Hospitality Chairman, Mrs. Orris Pluke as Membership Chairman, Mrs. Tom McAuley as Youth Committee Chairman, Mrs. John Dix as Program Committee Chairman.

Four major events are planned for forthcoming meetings. The first of these will be

a book review by Mrs. Benjamin W. Yancey on Thursday, January 18, at 3:30 p.m. at the Library on Court Street. Mrs. Yancey is well known in the New Orleans area for her book reviews, and as a participant in TV Forums, as well as a former Head Mistress of the Louise S. McGee School in New Orleans.

A Rodeo at the Lazy "Y" is planned for the spring; a Celebrity Luncheon is being developed; and a Fun Party for members only will be scheduled.

The public is reminded of the Open House to be held on Saturday and Sunday, December 7 and 8, 2:30 - 4:30 p.m., at the home of Col. and Mrs. Nunez Pilot, 1524 N. Beach, when selection from the works of twelve Gulf Coast artists will be exhibited. Further details of this event will be found elsewhere on Page 1 of this issue.

Officers presiding at Tuesday's meetings were Mrs. Joseph Viguerie, President; Mrs. William Lamb, Vice-President; Mrs. Claiborne Ladner, Secretary-Treasurer.

In addition to the hostess and Officers, the following ladies were present: Mesdames C. C. McDonald, Sr.; Tom Garner, Ray Gordon; C. Newton; Jewel Miller; Charles Elliott; Urban Miller; Prim Hilliker; James Filligane; Frank Walker; Terry Malone; N. L. Cartory; B. Cockshott; W. Kellogg; Lou Spence; Elizabeth Weston; H. Baron; B. Glass; T. McAuley; R. Godfrey; E. A. Socola; W. Partridge; Lloyd Griffith; Fred Phillips; John Dicks; Ben Hille; George Curet; Gertrude Stanton; Leo Seal; Frank Embury; B. L. Ramsey; John McDonald.

Banks Largest Lenders To Farmers

Mississippi banks were providing farmers with more credit and other financial services than any other lenders at the beginning of this year, according to Paul Townsend, Jr., Belmont, executive vice president of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company and chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the Mississippi Bankers Association. During 1967, the banks maintained their leadership in

providing credit services. Based on the 27th annual report, published by the Agricultural Committee of the Mississippi Bankers Association, Mr. Townsend reported that the beginning of the year, Mississippi banks were helping farmers with \$197 million in loans, 12 per cent more than a year previous. This total included \$95 million in production loans and \$102 million in farm mortgages. At the same time, \$177 million in farm loans was held by the insurance companies; \$1 million by the Federal Reserve Bank; \$57 million by the Credit Association; and \$21 million in non-farm loans, plus \$14 million in estate loans by the Federal Home Administration, one per cent of the production credit extended by lenders to Mississippi farmers from banks.

"bankers said that consequently Mississippi are investing the large capital required in agricultural programs to meet the credit demands of the farmers."

Mr. Townsend stressed the importance of farmers and bankers working together to improve financial arrangements. He reported that nine out of 10 reported that throughout the year had agreed with nearly 90 percent of the banks in Mississippi of the credit to farm extending

Officers Attend F.B.I. School

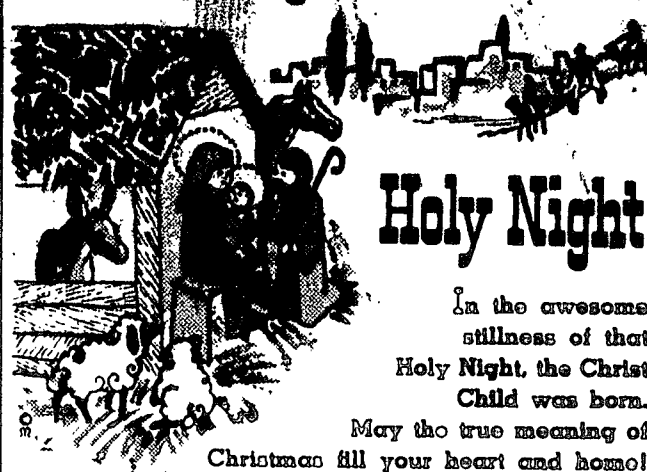
Attending the F.B.I. School for law enforcement officers in New Orleans, Louisiana, on December 2, were Sheriff P. N. Alvin Favre, Sheriff of the Parish of St. Charles, Louisiana, and Sheriff of the Parish of St. James, Louisiana, and Sheriff of the Parish of St. John the Baptist, Louisiana.

George Roberts, Glen Dyer and Jackson Dyer.

Patrolmen Robert and Van Pelt are recent graduates of the school and as auxiliary officers, serve on a voluntary basis.

A law enforcement school will be conducted in Bay St. Louis in February, according to Chief Garriga.

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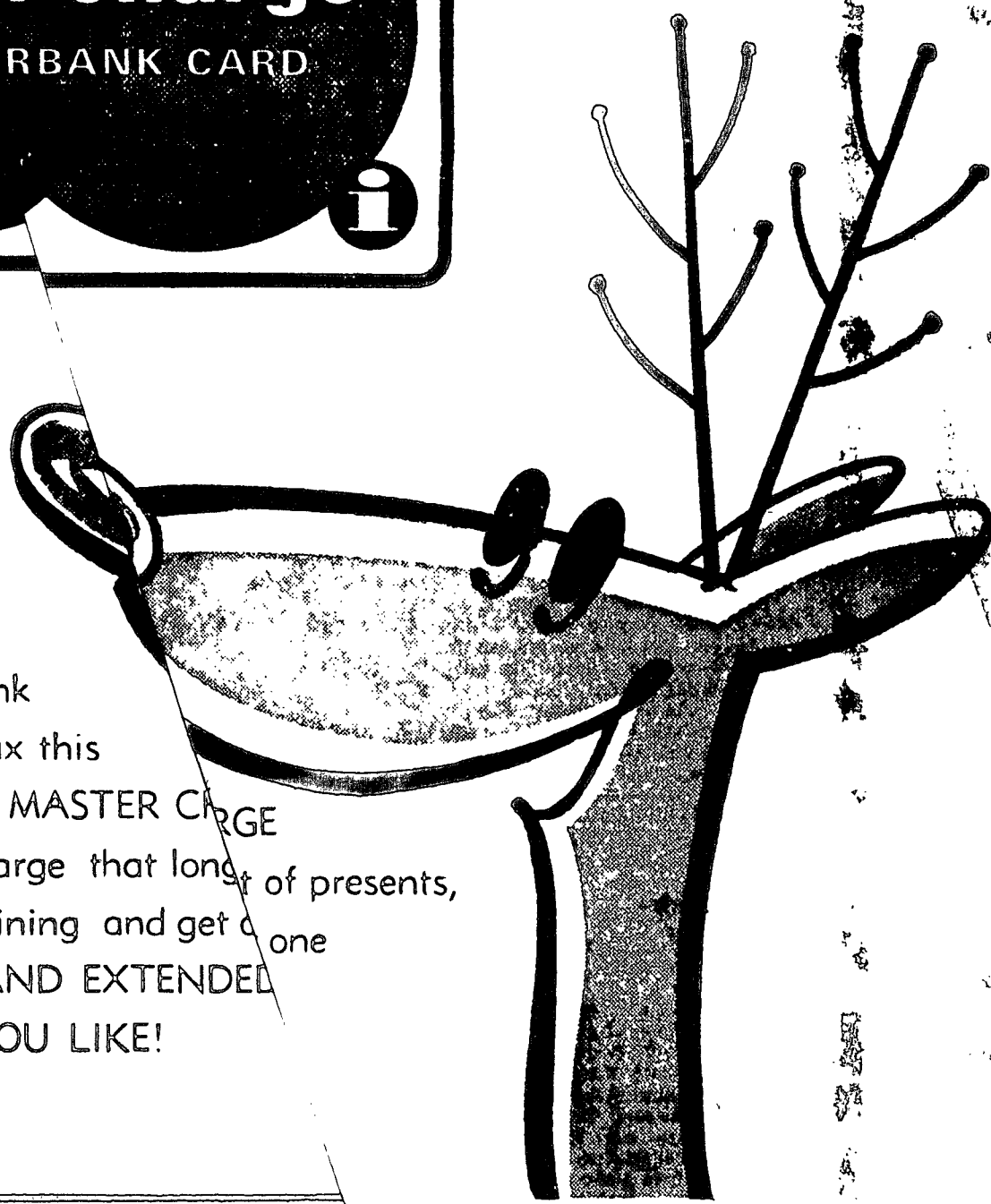
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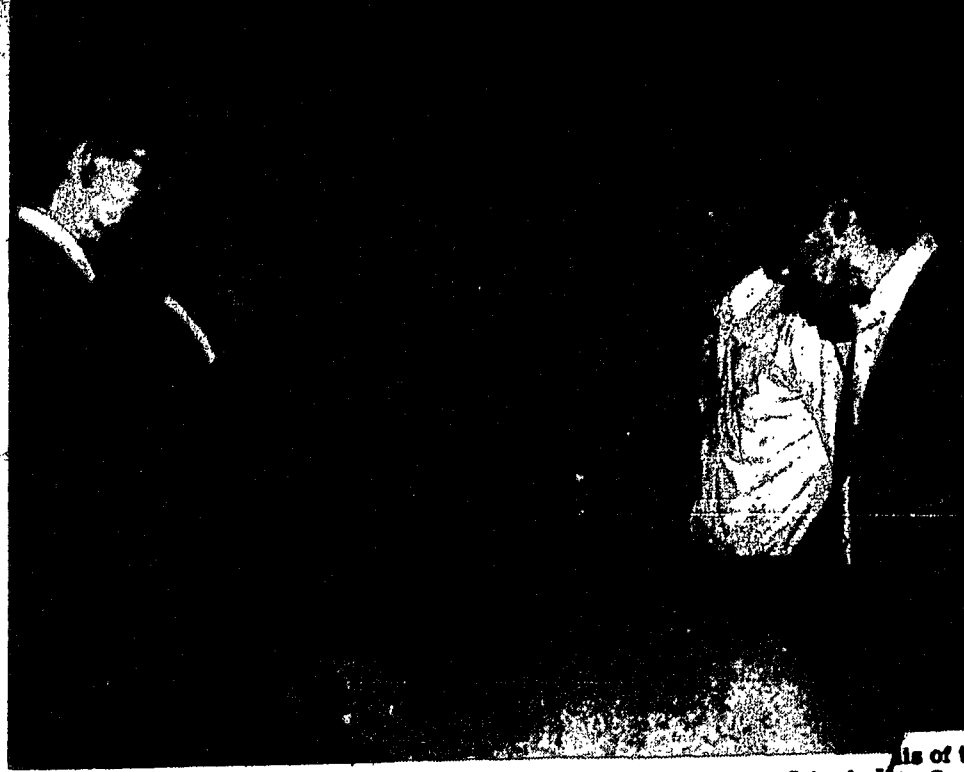
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Students of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Mississippi Test Facility at Bay High School, Noel Phillips, center, Steve Polindexter, and Chuck Benvenuti, students listen as Wallis tells them the rules of the Safety Contest. Approximately 100 students from elementary, junior and senior high schools in Sildell, Picayune, Bay, the MTF Site land, Nicholson, Pass Christian, Long Beach and Gulfport will participate from each of Safety Council Christmas Safety Program. One winner will be chosen from each of the 57 schools participating in the program. Each winner will receive a savings bond. (ASA PHOTO.)

Biloxi Bay Bridge Construction Near

The Mississippi State Highway Department is now several steps closer to the actual construction of the Biloxi Back Bay Bridge according to Southern

District Highway Commissioner W. H. "Shag" Pyron. The Commissioner said "the Highway Department is moving as fast as possible to

bring the much needed facility to the people of the Gulf Coast area."

He said meetings are now in progress with Coastal city officials in efforts to agree upon a final location for the approach to the bridge, and said a construction contract might be let in early 1969. Due to the pre-moratorium on the obligation of Federal Funds, a contract for construction not be let at this time. The project were of ready to advertise. Although the final has the approach to the bridge not been decided upon, the section which will connect the facility, with U.S. Highway 90, a loop freeway beginning at the Gulf of Biloxi extending across Back Bay.

Miss. Br Income

Broiler prices in Mississippi are slightly higher than a year ago for payments regional by the Mississippi Bureau Marketing sippi reveals.

Assofage payment, according to MFBMA survey cost \$57.38 per thousand, compared to the similar period of \$67. High payment was \$89.03 per thousand for the guaranteeing firm Delmarva area.

While there was wide variation among growers for the contractors in the same general areas of the state, the association attributed the gain to: (1) a relatively high broiler market for the reporting period; (2) the improved quality of inputs as chicks, feed and medication; and (3) contractors' adherence to grower contracts in more favorable relationships for grower profits.

With the new Wholesome Poultry Act now being implemented, the association points to the trend toward producing a higher quality broiler. Growers are making efficient use of the high quality inputs, the association survey indicates, and contractors who have acted to improve their operations are commended by the association.

Wishes each and every day

Peace on earth



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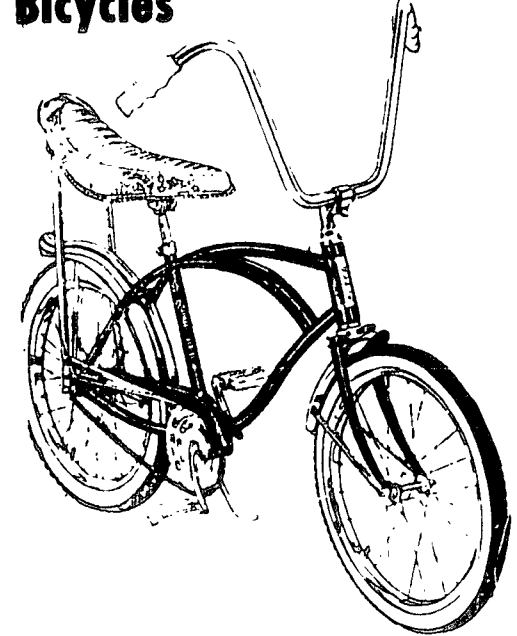
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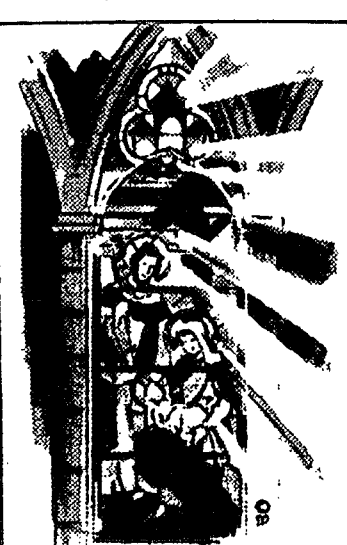


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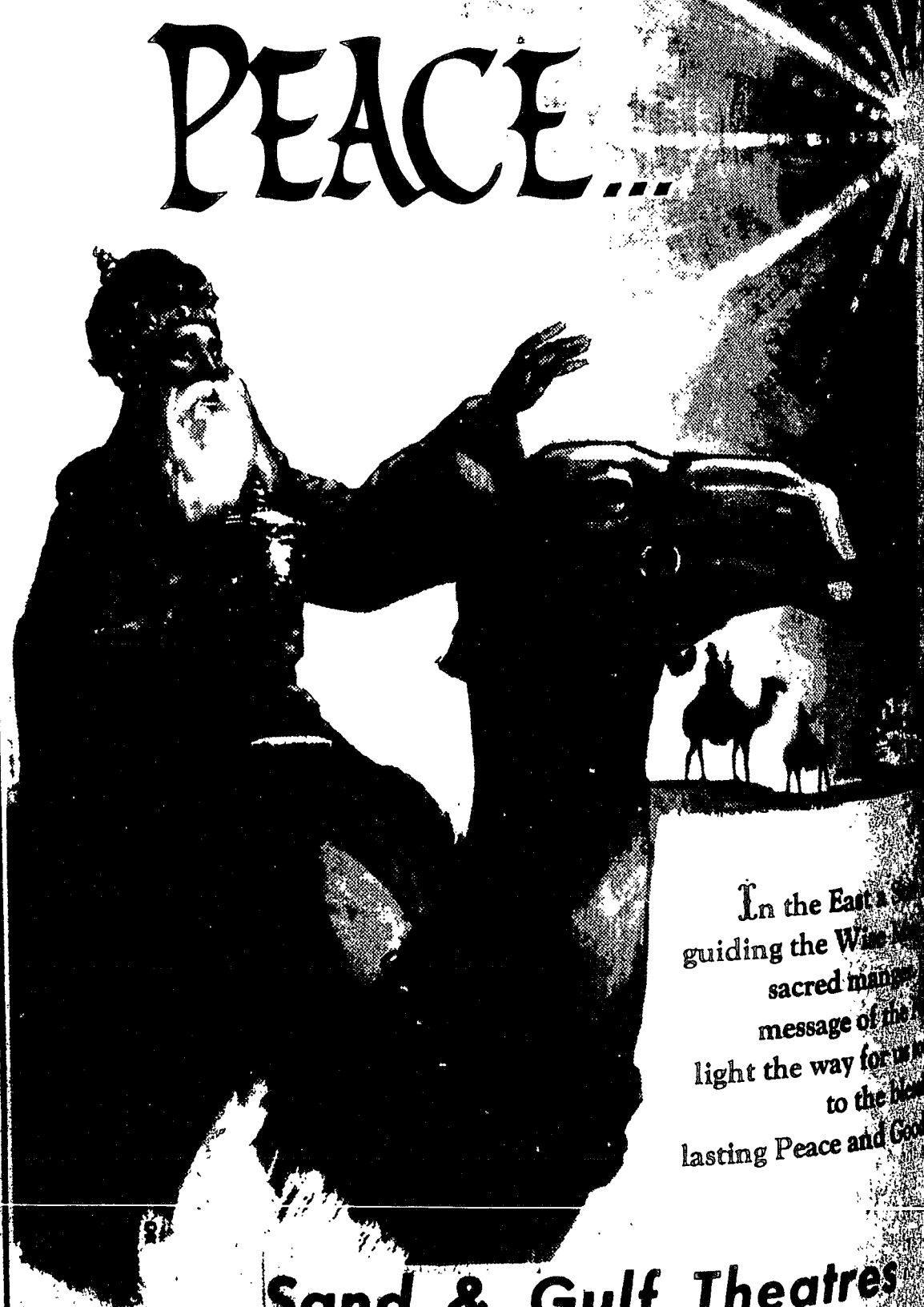
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KANTHA KETCHUM

By L. (Doc) Elliott

Sportsmen right now are enjoying all kinds of hunting and fishing. With the opening of the 3rd part of the dove season on December 21st and the duck season, coot, snipe, opening this week, most all seasons are now open. There will be plenty of shooting going on from now until February.

Reports are that game is rather plentiful and some good hunts will be had. With schools closing soon for the Christmas holidays a lot of our young college students will take to the woods. According to heresy there are more doves now than at any part of the former two open seasons. The 3rd season is the last for doves.

The cold weather we have had, lately should improve both hunting and fishing.

Fred Garner is still making good catches of speckles up Jordan River. Mostly trolling.

Sylvan J. Ladner is another of our old time fisherman and hunters. He lives out on Bayou La Croix and has always gotten his share of game and fish.

Wiley Cole, an active work-

er in Sea Scout activities, expects to start dove hunting and fishing. Wiley is young and ambitious, so the game and fish had better look out.

Bill Kellogg will have his son-in-law Bob Barker over for the holidays. Bob loves to fish and wants to try his luck down here. He hails from Evanston, Ill.

Was a pleasure to meet Bill Kellogg. We'll make a few fishing trips, Bill.

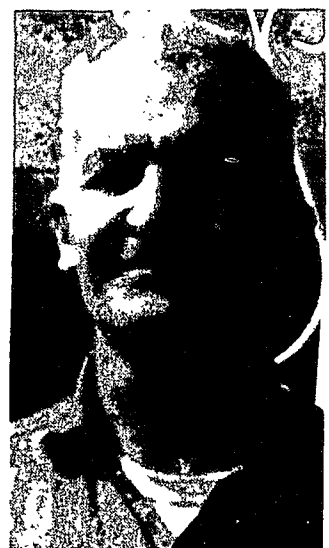
Pat Haggerty, when not fighting fires, can be found hunting or fishing. Pat comes over from New Orleans.

We know a lot of flounders and soft crabbers, but from reports Mrs. Joe Griffin is mighty hard to beat when it comes to getting soft crabs. She is a mighty good fisherman too. When the seasons are open, it's hard to keep her away from the water.

The scouts of Troop 217 of Our Lady of the Gulf Church enjoyed an overnight camp out last week. They had with them Teddy Stechmann and Billy Monti, explorer adviser. The trip was made to the Emile Mander property on Bayou La Croix. It was pretty cold, but the boys claimed they had a wonderful time.

See where Bidwell Adam, Gulfport Attorney, has been named "1968-69 BOSS of the year." A native of Pass Christian, Adam was admitted to the bar at the age of 19 and has been a practicing attorney for 55 years. Bidwell has always been a good sport and caught his share of tarpon while deep sea fishing.

Received this letter from Vernon D. Niven and think it is pretty good:



SPORTSMAN OF THE WEEK:

Oris Ladner, also called "Bill Johnson", lives at Ne-caise Crossing. Bill has been a hunter and fisherman all his life and knows his stuff about these sports. "Ain't what it used to be," said Oris.

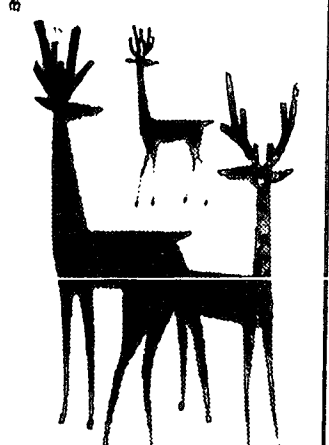
Dear Doc:

Last Monday (12-2-68) J.C. Baxter and Dave Polndexter each landed a good sized spec at Half Moon. For the next two hours they each claimed to have the biggest and, since the two fish were almost exactly the same length, they finally decided to stop talking until they could weigh the fish back at their "Lodge".

During the weighing-in J.C. Baxter declared himself the winner by 2 ounces so Dave Polndexter had to reluctantly shut up.

Later in the afternoon as Dave was cleaning the catch for supper he found two shear pins inside J.C.'s fish. Knowing J.C. was willing to shade

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There are not many ducks around this year up Jordan River according to Pat Toomey, local game warden. With the limit of 3 and a couple of scrap ducks, and as duck stamp cost \$3, it's rather expensive to make a duck hunt these days. Remember when the limit on ducks was 25?

Met a good bunch of sports in New Orleans Sunday at the Dixie Tavern, Frank Hardy, Lloyd (Shrimp) Jastram, Mack Guthrie Hank Kirsch, Dick J. Morales, Jack Moran, and Dan

Happy. There was a lot of fish and hunting stories related and stories of the Irish Channel brought back to this writer's memory. A lot of the boys are too old to fish and hunt anymore.

Joe Griffin of Waveland is still catching speckles. He and Buddy Dufour made a nice catch recently. Joe is also a golfer.

Catfish are also called hard heads. We have a lot about us! Hard heads we mean.

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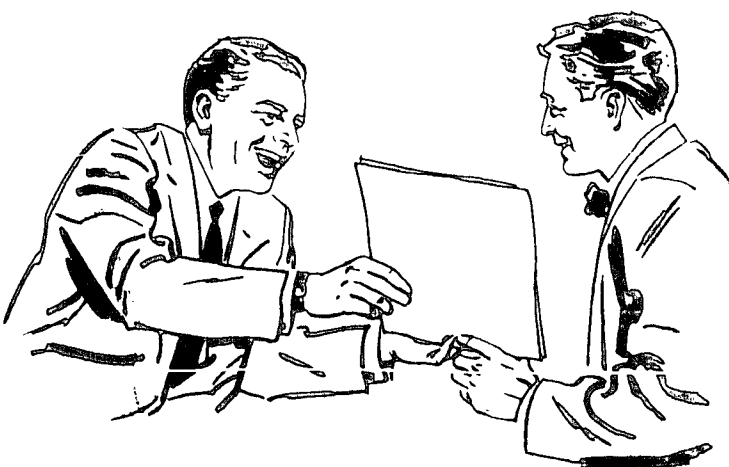
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Priests to be Ordained At Divine Word Seminary

Rev. Clifton Labbe, S.V.D. and Rev. George Roessmann, S.V.D. are two of 14 Divine Word Missionaries completing theological studies at Divine Word Seminary, Techny, Ill. They will be ordained to the priesthood on January 4, 1965, with the most Rev. Harold Perry, S.V.D., D.D., auxiliary bishop of New Orleans, officiating at the 10 a.m. ordination mass.

Bishop Perry was at one time pastor of St. Anthony's Church in Cade, La., where Father Labbe attended mass as a youth.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Labbe, 183 So. Saint Antoine St., Lafayette, Louisiana, Father Labbe is one of six children. A brother Leopold is with the U.S. Army; his only sister, Mrs. Gladys Arceneaux and three other brothers Willis Jr., Russell, and Richard all live in Lafayette.

Born in Broussard, Louisiana, Father Labbe began his training with the Society of the Divine Word at the Bay St. Louis seminary in 1956. He received further training in the Order's



REV. LABBE, S.V.D.



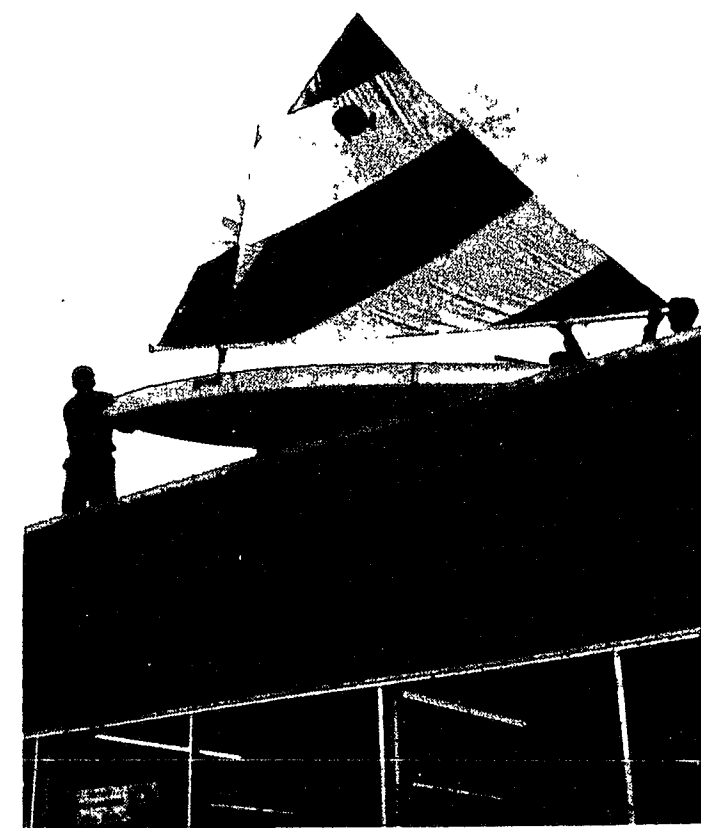
REV. ROESSMANN, S.V.D.

seminaries at Danbury, Massachusetts, and Conesus, New York, where he obtained his B. A. degree. For the past two summers, he has been studying Liturgy at the University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana.

Father Labbe will offer his first mass in St. John's Cathedral, Lafayette, Louisiana, on January 5 at 2:00 p.m.

Son of the late William and Katharina Roessmann, Duisburg, Rhineland, West Germany, Father Roessmann is one of eight children. His five brothers and two sisters all live in Germany.

Born in Duisburg, Germany, Father Roessmann worked for a German construction firm before joining the Society of the Divine Word in 1955. He received his high school and college training at Gellenkirchen, the Society's delayed vocation seminary. From there, he went to St. Gabriel's seminary in Modling, Austria, for his Novitiate and philosophical studies. He was assigned to the United States, at Bay St. Louis seminary in 1965. After two years of study at Bay St. Louis, he came to Techny, to complete his theological studies.



SAILBOAT which appears to be taking off into the 'wild blue yonder' really isn't going anywhere; an Echo photographer just happened to be on hand when it was 'launched' on Breath's Boats and Motors roof.

Mississippi Marketing Council Report

Agriculturally-related industries have accounted for 35 percent of all new industrial locations and expansions in Mississippi since the creation of the Mississippi Marketing Council as an arm of the Mississippi Agricultural and Industrial Board in 1964. Brad Dye, Jr., director of the Board, said here today.

Speaking before the annual convention of the Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation, Dye said that "emphasis placed by the A & I Board and the Marketing Council on the close relationship between agricultural and industrial progress has brought about the creation of 26,211 new jobs for Mississippians in less than five years in plants utilizing the products of our farms and forests." This, he said, represents 42 percent of all new jobs created through industrial locations and expansions in the state during the period.

The A & I Board director also told the group that "the importance which has been placed on the processing of our raw materials here at home is

evidenced by the fact that during this same period from January, 1964, a total of \$410,439,700 has been invested in agriculturally-related manufacturing and processing facilities, representing 40 percent of all manufacturing investment during the period."

Dye told the group that "the philosophy under which the A & I Board has operated since it was created back in the nineteen thirties has been that agriculture and industry in our state are so closely related that progress in one is essential to progress in the other."

"What was needed," he said, "was manufacturing jobs for our young people which would balance the continuing decline in agricultural employment, and more particularly, jobs in factories and processing plants which would utilize the raw products produced here in Mississippi."

Emphasis on the industrial site of agriculture, Dye said, led to the establishment of the A & I Board's Agricultural Industries Department in 1960



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KANCHU KETCHUM (cont.)

Pete Morel has been killing a few squirrels, as he put it. Pete also hunts other game and loves his fishing. Not bad at pool shooting either.

Tommy Baudry has a new 410 gun. He will join the many hunters soon. Stop, look and listen before shooting Tommy. That's good advice.

Did you ever eat real cane syrup? Willard Peterson has just ground his sugar cane. "Good crop, plenty syrup", said Willard.

Hippo Phillips doesn't hunt or fish much anymore. He really raises beautiful Chrysanthemums. Saw some he grew this year.

Hard crabs are still biting. Saw some that were caught in a crab trap. They are also being caught on the hook, line and sinker, on the bottom. They were full of meat, too.

Funny how people have different hobbies. Understand J. S. Blanchard collects stones. He has an interesting collection.

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Mrs. Dan M. Russell Winner In Hat Show

Mrs. Dan M. Russell's hat, designed of white camellias, berries and a bow of green foliage on a green velvet hat was judged best of the show in Bay-Waveland Garden Club's hat show Thursday at the Garden Center.

Other winners in Class 1 with Mrs. Russell were Mrs. Harry Ward and Mrs. David Peranich.

Class 2- seasonal flowers, other than fresh with nuts- Mesdames J.H. Duggan, Jr.,

Ralph Largay, Julian Lorenzen and Frank Hille.

Class 3-Design with choice of materials. Mesdames L.H. Ott, John E. Isom, Peranich, Largay and John P. Stern.

Mesdames John P. Stern was show chairman with Mrs. J.H. Duggan, Jr. co-chairman.

Mrs. Rosemary Ramoll served as commentator and judges were Mesdames John Guest, John McCloskey and George Grunblatt.

The refreshment table, covered with a white linen cloth, was centered with a white ceramic tree trimmed with red lights encircled with greenery. Mr. Charles H. Elliott, hostess, was assisted by co-hostesses, Mesdames W.D. Kellogg, E.N. Spence, P.H. Daniel, N.L. Carter, H.A. Thompson, Byron B. Deane, J.H. Plunkett, Charles B. Dickinson and Cheator T. Moore.

Harbor Homemakers Meet

A Christmas tree and other seasonal arrangements decorated the home of Mrs. J.C. Goodloe when the Clermont Harbor Extensional Homemaker Club met last Monday.

Following a brief business session, games were played and gifts exchanged by the 15 members attending.

Notes From Pearllington by BRENDA ANDERSON 533-7974

Holiday visitors in the home of Reverend and Mrs. John Wardle are Mrs. Wardle's mother and father, Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Walling of Benton Harbor, Michigan. We were very sorry to hear that Mr. Walling was taken ill shortly after their arrival and had to be admitted to the Hancock General Hospital where he is reported to be feeling better. Get well wishes go out to him and we hope that he will be out soon to enjoy visiting with his family.

George McArthur is home after his stay in the Crosby Memorial Hospital in Piquette. Little Miss Marilyn Asher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Asher, celebrated her sixth birthday on December 17th.

We've heard that the Belle Isle home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth N. Caron is truly a Christmas sight to behold.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilkerson will celebrate their ninth wedding anniversary on Friday, December 20.

PEARLINGTON CHURCH EVENTS

The Pearlington Methodist Church will have their Christmas Service on Sunday, December 22, Reverend Frank R. Wheat is Pastor. If you haven't been by to see the Nativity scene yet you're really missing a thing of beauty. The lights are turned on from 6:00 pm 'til 10:00 pm.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church will have a Midnight Mass on Christmas eve and a 10 a.m. Mass on Christmas Day, Father McDonald is pastor.

The First Southern Baptist Church will host the Diamond Club's annual Christmas Tree for Children at 6 p.m. on Saturday, December 21. Following this event, at 7 p.m., there will be a special Christmas program by the "Him" Singers. The "Him" Singers have headquarters in Jackson but consist of boys from all over the state.

Regular Church Services will be held on Sunday, On Christmas Day there will be a service at 10:00 a.m. Reverend John L. Wardle is Pastor.

The Christmas parties at Charles B. Murphy School will be tomorrow. School will take in at the regular time and the children should be home around 11:30. There will be no lunch served in the cafeteria.

Did you know that Saturday, December 21 is the first day of winter and the shortest day of the year? Which brings to mind the words of the English poet Percy Bysshe Shelley, "O wind,

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Stage Show

Lazy Daisies, Our Lady of the Gulf Junior Gardeners, viewed the Christmas show staged by Tiger Lily Gardeners of Bay High School Monday in conjunction with their field day program.

Mrs. John P. Stern presented a program on Customs and Legions from Around the World when the group met Tuesday at O.L.G. School for its monthly meeting.

Bulb planting at the school was planned and will take place during the holidays followed by a hot chocolate party at the home of Mrs. Joseph E. Vigue, Jr., Junior Garden Club chairman.



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1 - Ohio State	11 - Missouri	21 - Stanford	31 - Minnesota
2 - Penn State	12 - Arkansas	22 - Miami, Fla.	32 - Michigan State
3 - Southern Cal	13 - Alabama	23 - Memphis State	33 - Florida
4 - Georgia	14 - Purdue	24 - V.P.I.	34 - Syracuse
5 - Texas	15 - Oregon State	25 - Ohio U.	35 - Wyoming
6 - Notre Dame	16 - Houston	26 - Army	36 - Yale
7 - Oklahoma	17 - Auburn	27 - California	37 - Texas Tech
8 - Tennessee	18 - Michigan	28 - Iowa	38 - Harvard
9 - Kansas	19 - S.M.U.	29 - L.S.U.	39 - Mississippi
10 - Florida State	20 - Arizona State	30 - Air Force	40 - N. Carolina St

Friday, December 27			
TANGERINE BOWL:	Ohio U.	28	Richmond 20
Saturday, December 28			
GATOR BOWL:	Missouri	17	Alabama 14
SUN BOWL:	Auburn	21	Arizona 7
Monday, December 30			
PEACH BOWL:	Florida State	24	L.S.U. 14
Tuesday, December 31			
BLUEBONNET BOWL:	Oklahoma	31	S.M.U. 16
Wednesday, January 1			
COTTON BOWL:	Texas	27	Tennessee 24
ORANGE BOWL:	Penn State	21	Kansas 17
ROSE BOWL:	Ohio State	23	Southern Cal 21
SUGAR BOWL:	Georgia	31	Kansas 21

Final College Forecasting Average:

1,420 RIGHT, 424 WRONG, 45 TIES

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HIGHLIGHTS

Ohio State is the Harmon National Champion for 1974 with Penn State finishing in the runner-up position. In last year's final ratings, Penn State was 10th, the Buckeyes were 19th. With an average power quotient of 104.7, there was more football POWER jammed into the Top Twenty Teams this year than in any other year. And no less than fourteen of these teams are involved in Bowl Games which should make for some of the finest post-season entertainment football fans have ever enjoyed.

The biggest mover among the top powers was Florida State. The Seminoles climbed North Carolina State, Wake Forest, and Houston in their final three games to move from almost nowhere into the No. 10 spot in the final ratings.

Just a note about the ratings of the Top Forty Teams: Please keep in mind that a team's rating is based on the AVERAGE of its performance against ALL opposition through the entire season. A team's won and lost record has no bearing on its national position. Calibre of competition is a major factor in determining a team's rating.

For the third consecutive year, the powerful Southeast Conference ranks Number One among the more than 65 football conferences in the country. However, they just nosed out the strong Big Eight Conference which moved from 5th place last year to the runner-up spot in 1974.

The Pacific Coast Conference, Southwest Conference, and Big Ten each dropped a notch to 3rd, 4th, and 5th respectively. To repeat once again: These ratings are based on each league's power quotient average, determined from the ratings of all teams in every conference. Here are the twenty strongest conferences in the nation:

1 - Southeast Conference	95.36	11 - Gulf States Conference	70.10
2 - Big Eight Conference	94.13	12 - Southland Conference	64.68
3 - AAUW (Pacific Coast)	92.79	13 - Ohio Valley Conference	63.61
4 - Southwest Conference	92.52	14 - Lone Star Conference	63.15
5 - Big Ten Conference	89.91	15 - Southern Conference	62.60
6 - Atlantic Coast Conference	86.09	16 - Big Sky Conference	62.42
7 - Western Athletic Conference	79.89	17 - North Central Conference	64.65
8 - Missouri Valley Conference	77.47	18 - Yankee Conference	63.25
9 - Mid-American Conference	76.49	19 - Calif. Collegiate Athletic Ass'n	62.52
10 - Ivy League	71.70	20 - Southwestern Athletic Conference	59.74

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Junior College Courses Outlined in Booklet

Mississippi's most current publication concerned with junior college vocational-technical courses, The "Vocational-Technical Occupational Guide," is now available for distribution.

The 41-page booklet, just off the press, summarizes training opportunities available for high school students and adults in the modern junior college vocational-technical training centers located throughout the state.

Pictures along with a course description, the salary range and employment opportunities that graduates may expect, and the course pre-requisites are given for each area of study.

"The vocational and technical education courses in Mississippi junior colleges offer a wealth of educational opportunities for thousands of high school students. Some 56 different courses of study are being offered in the 17 junior colleges," said Dr. Garvin Johnson, state superintendent of education. When present plans are completed, 22 modern training centers will be built at strategic points over the state.

The brochure, edited by Larry Hogue, vo-tech's public

relations coordinator, and Joe McDaniel, state supervisor of vocational guidance, also devotes space to adult education conducted in the state's comprehensive training centers.

It points out that "To succeed in business, industry, or government, the adult worker today must qualify to perform at higher levels of skill and have more and more special knowledge." Discussion of adult classes is centered around business and office education, trade and industrial, distributive, agriculture, and health occupations.

A major goal of vocational-technical education is to provide quality training for every boy, girl, man and woman desiring it, anywhere in the state. This goal is being realized in adult vo-tech education under the leadership of A.P. Fatherrae, director of the Vocational-Technical Division, State Department of Education.

Millions of dollars worth of the finest equipment, furnished by the state vo-tech department, has been placed in the vocational-technical training programs in new or remodeled buildings. Many authorities believe that the finest job training available is found in Mississippi's public junior colleges.

If Mississippi industry continues to grow and expand, it is estimated that at least 50,000 additional skilled craftsmen will be needed during the next six years, according to the Agricultural and Industrial Board.

Students graduating from these junior college training centers will continue to provide a tremendous boost to the state's economy. High school students, parents and faculty are encouraged to visit the junior colleges and see these educational opportunities first hand.

Copies of the publication may be secured by addressing requests to Larry Hogue, public relations coordinator, vocational-technical education, Box 771, Jackson, Miss.

Sgt. Peterson Is Promoted

Donald H. Peterson, whose mother, Mrs. Eva C. Peterson, and wife, Shirley, live in Pearlinton, was promoted November 11, to Army master sergeant in Vietnam, where he is serving with the 4th Infantry Division near Pleiku.

A communications chief in Headquarters and Service Battery, 4th Battalion of the 4th Infantry Division's 42nd Artillery, Sgt. Peterson entered the Army in January 1954, completed basic training at Ft. Gordon, Ga., and was stationed at Ft. Dix, N.J., before arriving in Vietnam last July.

The sergeant graduated from Bay High School in 1953.



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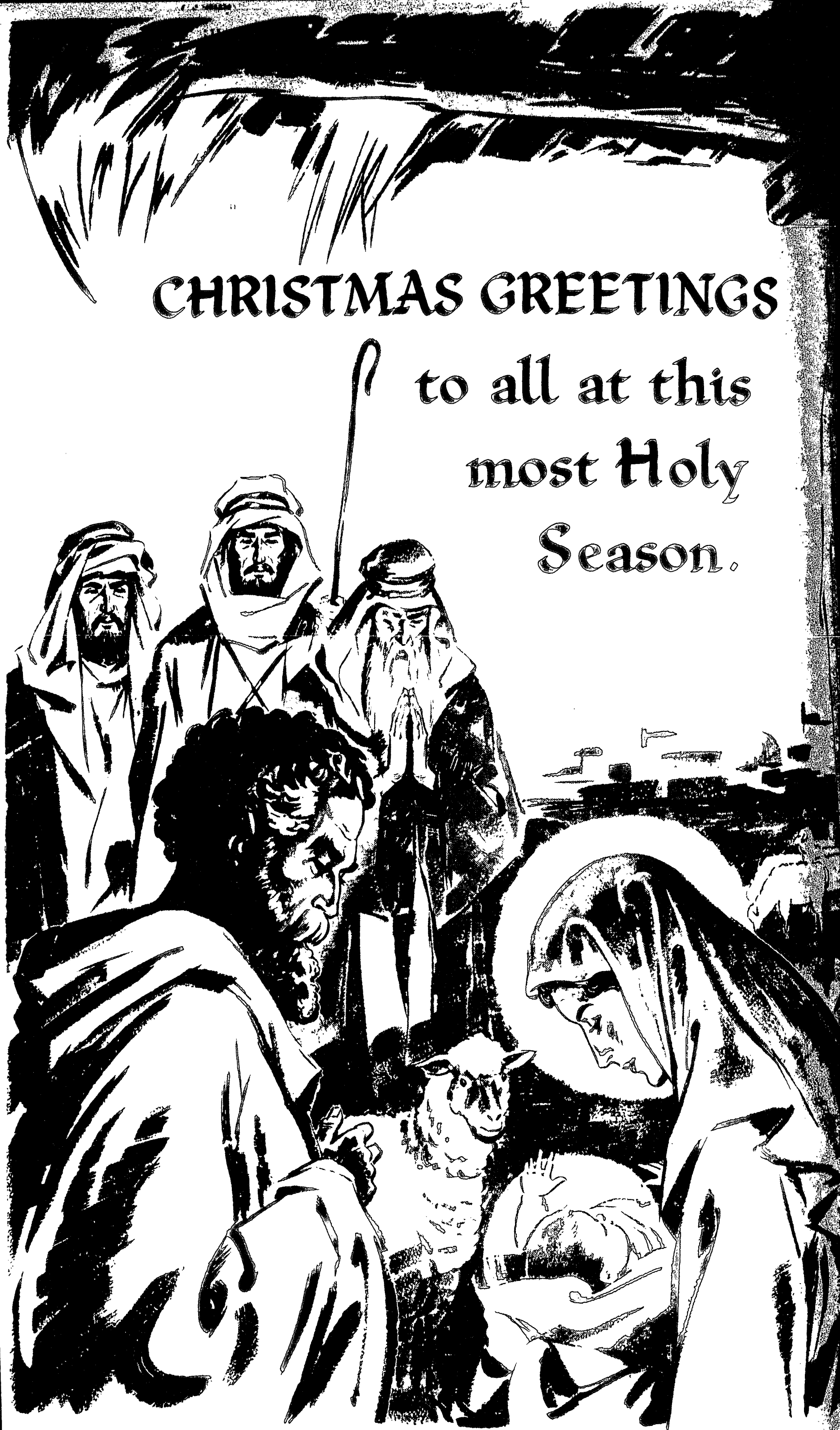
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